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Two Ships Are Sunk By U. S. Sub

Merchant Vessel And Another Sent To Bottom

WASHINGTON, April 11.—(AP)—A lone United States submarine cruising through enemy waters in the western Pacific has sent a 7,000-ton merchant ship and a small vessel of the submarine chaser class to the bottom, the navy reported today.

In addition, the submarine scored hits on a 4,000 ton freighter, and the navy said, possibly sank it on the same patrol.

The action was announced in a communique which also provided definite details on a foray through the southwest Pacific and Indian ocean by another lone submarine which netted a total of one cruiser, one destroyer and one transport sunk and two cruisers a transport, a supply ship and an unidentified vessel damaged by torpedo hits. The action in the southwest Pacific and Indian ocean, the navy said, had been partially reported a week ago at which time it told of activities by United States submarines in the area.

"It is now known," the navy said, "that all the results," except the damaging of one supply ship in waters near Lombok island "were achieved by one submarine on a single patrol.'

Operations Effective

The damage inflicted by that submarine was listed as follows:

"A. One light cruiser was sunk in the vicinity of Christmas island, south of Java.

"B. One light cruiser was damaged and is believed to have sunk and a third cruiser was damaged in the vicinity of Christmas island.

"C. One large transport was damaged near Bali.

"D. One supply ship was damaged in water near Lombok island.

"E. One destroyer and one large transport were sunk in the vicinity of Bali and an unidentified vessel was damaged."

In previous reports of the action the navy had reported that in the vicinity of Christmas island submarines had sunk one light cruiser and scored two direct hits on another light cruiser. New information showed that at Christmas island the single submarine sank one light cruiser and damaged two others.

The previous reports of the engagements also had listed two seaplane tenders as damaged near Bali, but today's detailed information substituted one large transport.

Naval men said that a large transport might have been read-

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Lyric Soprano As Guest Artist

The Sedalia Symphony orchestra will present Jeanne Madden, lyric soprano, as the guest artist at the final concert of the season on Tuesday night, April 28, at the Smith-Cotton high school auditorium.

Miss Madden, who in private life is the wife of Keith Martin, director of the Kansas City Art Institute, is a concert artist of note as well as a star of the stage and screen.

A highlight of the orchestral program will be Cadman's American Suite, a new symphonic offering. Abe Rosenthal, conductor, has chosen Schubert's Rosamunde overture to open the program, and other numbers by the orchestra will be the Rimsky-Karsakoff Caprice Espagnole and Marche Slave by Tschaikowsky.

The regular orchestra rehearsal this week will be at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night instead of the usually scheduled Tuesday night practice.

Uncle Ef

UNCLE EF



• With spring here, birds nesting, the old hens clucking, seeds going into the ground and buds swelling, all the world except its human inhabitants is given over to providing new life. Only we humans are sowing death. But, we want to sow plenty of it among the Japs and Germans, if we expect to keep what little happiness and independence there is left.

At The Bomb Demonstration Friday Night



In the foreground is shown the residue, after a bomb had been exploded on the court house lawn, in a demonstration on the right and wrong way to put out bomb fires, sponsored by the Pettis County Council of Civilian Defense. Acting fire chief William Middleton is shown in the right center of the group.

Demonstrate Handling Of Fire Bombs

State Representative Praises Local O. C. D. Setup

Pettis county's program of civilian defense was described as Missouri's "first comprehensive setup, which, when completed, will be perfect," by William E. Edom, representative of the fire defense committee of the state council of defense, speaking to a large audience in the circuit court room of the Pettis county court house Friday night.

About 350 persons packed the room to witness color motion pictures of effective and ineffective methods of extinguishing incendiary bombs, and actual pictures of the destructive fire-bombing of the city of London late in 1940. Types of fire extinguishers suitable for us on electric wiring blazes, gasoline and oil fires and ordinary combustion blazes were shown in the films, and were described by Edom and Captain Bush Waldon, formerly with the Columbia, Mo., fire department. Captain Waldon was granted a leave of absence from his fire company to join the state department of education and Edom in presenting information concerning protection from fire to civilians.

Praised County Setup

Edom, who admitted he is a critical observer of county defense programs, asserted that he found Pettis county's setup further advanced than any other in Missouri, and intimated that the Pettis plan would be used as an example in other counties. Pettis county already has half of the necessary auxiliary firemen needed in the program, trained and prepared for action.

It was pointed out that the regular fire fighting forces of most of America's cities soon might be called into active duty by the United States, leaving much of the fire fighting on the home front to the auxiliary firemen now being trained.

Audience Interested

The audience Friday night included members of the Sedalia fire department, police department, and many air raid wardens, fire watchers, auxiliary firemen housewives and others not directly and city officials, as well as connected with the civilian defense program. The audience watched the films in grim silence, and expressed appreciation of the lectures with heavy applause.

Indicative of the civilian defense council's efforts to clarify all points of the county program, a 10-year-old boy who leaned over to ask his father what a civilian defense insignia on the wall of the room indicated, was told by a local fire watcher who overheard him, that the sign exemplified the auxiliary fireman's badge.

Edom has exhibited the bomb films in innumerable cities since the program was endorsed by the state council of defense and Gov. Forrest C. Donnell before the United States' entry into the war last year.

Practice Bombs Shown

Two practice fire bombs were shown to the audience, and then one of them was exploded on a wooden platform in front of the court house. To demonstrate the ineffectiveness of a strong stream

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Philatelic Meeting

The Sedalia Philatelic club will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday night at the home of Mrs. A. H. Bratten, 512 West Fifth street.

Retail Grocers To Hold Important Meeting

All independent retail grocers are invited to attend the meeting of the Sedalia Independent Retail Grocers Association being held Monday night at Hotel Bothwell at 8:00 o'clock.

All details regarding the registration of retailers April 28 and 29 for sugar rationing will be discussed and the registration blanks to be used for this purpose will be distributed. Other matters of importance to retail grocers pertaining to deliveries, etc will be discussed and a full attendance of all grocers of the city is desired.

Sedalia Chest Drive Monday

Goal Of $10,800 For Four Sedalia Organizations

Sedalia's Community Chest will start off with a bang Monday morning with an Early Bird breakfast at the Bothwell Hotel, promptly at 7:30.

This is the second year for Sedalia's Community Chest. The organizations that receive the benefits are the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Melita Day Nursery and Salvation Army. Instead of having four individual drives they are having one drive for the goal of $10,800.00 needed to finance these organizations through the coming year. This idea was approved by the merchants and businessmen of Sedalia, who want one drive instead of four individual drives, therefore, taking less time and less confusion than four separate drives.

Judge Hoffman Presides

Judge Dimmitt Hoffman, the down-town district chairman, will preside at the Early Bird breakfast. I. H. Reed and E. P. Mullaley who are the captains of the two down-town divisions have their workers and are ready to start with a bang after breakfast Monday morning, April 13.

There have been a number of advanced solicitations received, and this shows the spirit in which the people of Sedalia contribute to these worthy organizations. The Community Chest directors are asking everyone, where ever possible, to contribute a day's pay toward the Community Chest.

Need For More

The program for these organizations will be larger for the coming year, and they are asking everyone to contribute more to the Community Chest. The Boy Scouts are working on emergency service work which will give first aid and messenger service for the civilian defense. The Girl Scouts are on messenger service and first aid. The Melita Day Nursery which has for many years been one of the most helpful organizations in the City of Sedalia, will need more money for the coming year. The Salvation Army is training under-privileged boys and girls in their work-shops so that they will be fitted for the many tasks that lie before them.

The leaders asking everyone to be ready Monday morning to reach the goal and go over the top for Sedalia's own 1942 Community Chest.

Women Workers

Women workers who will aid Mrs. L. C. Keuper and Mrs. M. E. Green, the captains, in their work, are, Mrs. L. C. Kennon, Mrs. H. G. Yunker, Mrs. A. B. Case, Mrs. E. Arnold, Mrs. Abe Bertman, Mrs. C. K. Parsons, Mrs. John Rucker, Mrs. W. D. Winston, Mrs. H. L. Herrick, Mrs. Clayton Mitchell, Mrs. F. T. Rucker, Mrs. Paul E. Corl, Mrs. Ellis Garrett, Mrs. L. V. Estes, Mrs. H. T. Menefee, Mrs. Paul Zink, Mrs. A. J. Gregory, Mrs. Everett Momberg, Miss Dorsey Walters.

Caps For Those Completing Aide Course

Fourteen Have Completed Nurses' Aide Training

The capping service of 14 Nurses' Aides, who have completed a training course under the sponsorship of the Office of Civilian Defense and the Pettis County Red Cross chapter will be conducted at 8 o'clock Monday night at the First Methodist church, Fourth street and Osage avenue.

The Nurses' Aides have completed 80 hours of training, three weeks of theory and three weeks of floor duty at the Bothwell hospital, and in compliance with the official regulation are pledged to at least 150 hours of hospital work, being on call at all times for emergencies. Their service is to continue for the duration of the war.

Mr. McLaughlin In Charge

Philip McLaughlin, chairman of the County Red Cross chapter, will be in charge of the capping ceremonies. The Nurses' Aides will be capped by Mrs. Gordon Potter, superintendent of Bothwell hospital.

Nurses' Aides who will gain their official recognition at the service Monday night are Mrs. Frank Armstrong, Mrs. L. R. Bailey, Mrs. George Chambers, Mrs. Kenneth Christy, Mrs. O. M. Clouser, Mrs. Herbert Kelley, Mrs. Harry Lambirth, Mrs. Mary Palmer, Studebaker, Mrs. Delbert Swain and Mrs. Robert Reed.

Members Of Board

Members of the Nurses' Aide board are Mrs. Arthur Kahn, Mrs. Abe Rosenthal, Dr. C. D. Osborne, Mrs. Gordon Potter, Mrs. J. F. Von Osdell, Mrs. E. M. Stafford, Jr., Mrs. Leon H. Archias Jr., and Mrs. Herbert Seifert.

The Program

The program will be as follows:

Processional, Mrs. C. D. Demand, organist.

Invocation by Rev. J. Fred King.

Singing Scouts, under direction of Mrs. A. R. Beach.

Address by Rev. H. U. Campbell.

Singing Scout number.

Address by Dr. C. D. Osborne, OCD representative.

Presentation of pins, Mrs. Arthur Kahn, vice-chairman, R. C. Capping of Nurses' Aides, Mrs. Gordon Potter, supt. Bothwell hospital.

Presentation of certificates, Mrs. J. F. Von Osdell, hospital instructor.

Remarks by Mrs. Abe Rosenthal, Pettis county chairman of Nurses' Aides.

America, Audience.

Benediction, Rev. J. Fred King.

A Nurse's Aide badge combines the insignia of the Office of Civilian Defense and the American Red Cross, having a red cross in the center of a white triangle on a bluefield .

Young Musicians Receive Awards

Sedalia's young musicians at the Junior Music Festival at Excelsior Springs Saturday scored numerous triumphs receiving many superior and excellent ratings and the Singing Scouts, receiving first place in the contest last spring, this year took a second rating.

Puils of Miss Mabel DeWitt, Mrs. Jewell Harter Thomas and Mrs. A Roswell Beach were among the participants taking honors in solo numbers, duets and quartets. They returned home with awards of many pins.

Army To Take Over More Of The Airliners

Some In Domestic Service To Carry Military Cargoes

WASHINGTON, April 11.—(AP)—The war department announced tonight that the army air forces would take over approximately 25 per cent of the domestic airliners and use them for carrying military cargoes and personnel.

They will be operated under direction of the commanding general of the air service command, the department said, and added:

"Key airline personnel will be encouraged to stay at their posts as the most effective and patriotic course unless and until their country indicates it requires them in the armed forces."

Latest available statistics credit the commercial airlines with about 340 transports. Since the war began the army has received at least 30 airliners from operating companies.

The department added that with the 25 per cent allocation announced today, domestic airline service has been reduced to the minimum deemed essential to the war effort and "it is not presently intended to make further reductions" in the civil airline equipment.

"Civil air transportation," the announcement said, "is of vital importance to the war effort. Disruption in essential airline service is to be avoided whenever possible. However, airline service to the public cannot exceed that quantity which is essential to the successful prosecution of the war."

A priorities system for seat and cargo space in commercial airplanes already is in operation. Personnel of the White House and the armed services have first ratings, with priorities also given to personnel of other government agencies "whose activities are essential to the war effort."

Complimented By L. W. Baldwin

Mrs. C. L. Owen, for three years publisher of the Sedalia Civic News and Shop Chatter, a weekly publication, which she sold in January, has received a letter from L. W. Baldwin, president of the Missouri Pacific railway company expressing regret that it is not being continued, and complimenting her on activity in promoting civic and railway affairs.

Mrs. Owen plans to devote her time to volunteer war work.

The publication was started by Mrs. Owen's daughter, Cecil Walker Owen, now Mrs Chester Kessingham, of Marthasville, Mo., in 1936. The daughter entered the employ of the state board of health three years ago, and the mother took over the paper when she left Sedalia.

Mrs. Owen sold the publication to Stanton Hudson and Dan Carr the last part of January, although she states she severed her connections after the Christmas issue.

It is now being published as the Labor Record.

Rotary Meeting Monday

An "On To Conference" program will be given at the regular noonday meeting of the Rotary club, at Hotel Bothwell, Monday. Arthur Conrey is program chairman.

In Australia



Sergeant Grover E. Thomas

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover E. Thomas, of near Cole Camp, on Highway 65, is in Australia, according to a message received Thursday by his wife and parents. It was sent via Russia, dated April 8, and read, "On duty Australia. Very well. Keep Smiling. Love for three."

The three referred to are his wife, his mother and father.

Thomas, a first sergeant, has been in the army five years, and the last letter received from him was written March 1, but postmarked April 1, from New Orleans. He is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school.

Herman Bloess President of School Board

Playground Program Arranged For Summer Months

Herman Bloess was elected president of the Sedalia Board of Education at a meeting of the board, held in the office of the superintendent of schools Friday night. It was the first meeting since the re-election of Richard Keenan and the election of Dr. Tom Bast, last Tuesday, and the members met to reorganize.

Richard Keenan was elected vice-president, Joe Hancock, secretary, and Miss Bird Tavener, treasurer and auditor. Other members of the board are T. H. Yount, Frank W. Hayes and Dr. Tom Bast.

Hunt Re-elected

Heber U. Hunt was re-elected superintendent of schools.

The board made plans for the summer program, which, as last year, will start two weeks after the close of school, in order not to interfere with the vacation Bible school. The program will start June 8 and continue until August 15.

There will be two faculty members in charge of the playground at Smith-Cotton high school, as

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U. S. Sub, Perch Is Presumed Lost

WASHINGTON, April 11.—(AP)—In a communique, the navy reported that the submarine Perch had been "overdue for more than a month and must be presumed to be lost."

The navy did not give the number of her personnel but said the next of kin had been notified. Her normal crew was 50.

'Still Smile For You, Lucy'



Captain E. William Jones, son of Mrs. E. W. Jones, 1104½ West Third street, who was with General Douglas MacArthur, when he was on the island of Luzon, Bataan peninsula, and may be among the United States forces still on that island, who were overcome last week by the Japanese. The above picture, received by his mother March 1st, had a message on the back which reads, "Hello Lucy, (his pet name for his mother whose name is Lucille.) Here's a little snapshot a friend took. I'm all hot and on duty, but still smile for you. Love Bill. P. S. Merry Christmas."

Captain Jones' wife and daughter, Pamela, born December 22, 1941, are in Tucson, Ariz., with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Howard. A message was conveyed to Mrs. Jones, in Tucson several days ago, from Salt Lake City, where a letter had been received from an officer in Bataan, in which he stated several were writing letters, and asking the recipient, to notify wives of the other officers, who may not have received their letters, that they were all right, and feeling fine. Mrs. Jones did not receive her letter.

Mrs. Jones and daughter, 'Pam' of Tuscon, will arrive in Sedalia Thursday for a visit with Mrs. E. W. Jones.

Captain Jones' father, was the late Senator E. W. Jones, for many years a well known Sedalia attorney.

Valiant Fight Is Waged In Defense Of Fort Corregidor

Japanese At Heavy Cost Land Troops At Cebu—Foe Near India

By RICHARD McMURRAY
Associated Press War Editor

The battle-stained men of Corregidor fought valiantly on last (Sat.) night while the Japanese extended their invasion of the Philippines with costly landings on Ceru, and in India the allied defense problem was complicated enormously by the rejection of a British offer of dominion status.

The thunder of battle came even closer to India when the British defenders of next-door Burma withdrew to 58 miles north of Prome, and the Japanese advanced over the bodies of 2,000 of their dead against the Chinese armies deployed along the Sittang front.

Australia was quiet, and the Bay of Bengal appeared to have died down after punishing blows to the British navy and to the enemy's sky force.

Shells On Corregidor

Bombers and artillery, based around Manila Bay and on Bataan peninsula where the epic defense of four months ended Thursday, hurled shell after shell upon the two-mile square fortress of Corregidor and its nearby strongholds. Despite the intensity of the bombardments, the damage was small and the casualties among the hungry and weary heroes were slight. Corregidor's big guns duelled with enemy shore batteries.

The Japanese insisted their warships had joined in the shelling, but this was unconfirmed as was a Japanese claim of the capture of six boatloads of United States troops fleeing Bataan.

Whether the U. S. and Filipino troops on the rocky peninsula had surrendered in exhaustion or whether some had escaped to harry the overwhelming number of Japanese in guerrilla warfare was not known.

Land 12,000 Troops

The landings at several points on Cebu, a narrow island well to the south of Luzon, were made by 12,000 enemy troops protected by dive bombers and naval vessels. Defending troops inflicted frightful casualties and held the invaders in small pockets. The Japanese landed tanks to continue their drive in the mountinous island. The Japanese said they had captured burning Ceru, second city of the Philippines.

An unspecified number of dog-tired soldiers and nurses joined the 3,500 marines and sailors evacuated to Corregidor in hair-raising escapes from Bataan. Some swam through the shark-infested waters.

The Japanese claimed their flag

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Expect That U. S. Fliers To Blast Nazis

Look For Them To Join RAF In Attacks By Air

By ROBERT E. BUNNELLE

LONDON, April 11—(AP)—The United States air force will join the RAF in blasting Germany with a month, and the two allies will do everything in their power to help Russia's epic effort to crush the common Nazi enemy, highly placed experts predicted tonight.

This, they said, would be the upshot of the visit here of the United States Chief of Staff, Gen. George C. Marshall, and Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's trusted supply man.

The British and Americans were pictured as expecting Germany's supreme effort this summer to be directed at the two supply lines over which increasing quantities of vital war material are moving to the decisive Russian battlefront to equip the vast Soviet, long on manpower but short on machines of war.

The German thrusts are expected toward the oil riches of the Caucasus and the Persian Gulf, and against the northern route which ends at Murmansk and Archangel.

The growing U. S. military establishments which Marshall is inspecting and the insreasing pool of United States planes in Britain were taken as indications that American pilots would be bombing Germany within a month to retard the Nazi's eastward offensive.

Look For Jap Stab

The United States, Britain and Russia all see a Japanese stab in the Russian back in Siberia as one of the main dangers this year. British military opinion is convinced that a Japanese attack will take place either just before or coincident with the opening of Hitler's main effort. The Russians say simply, "we are ready if it comes."

One highly placed Russian, discussing the possibility, asked what observers thought the Japanese could put into a Siberian attack.

"Fourteen to 17 divisions," was the reply.

"It won't be enough," said the Russian.

There have been candid assertions in Russian circles that they will never suffer a Pearl Harbor at Vladivostok. And there are equally candid hints that if Japan attacks the Soviet, Red bombers will swiftly span the 680 miles to Tokyo and the great industrial cities with the one object of destroying the Japanese war foundries. This would be accompanied by a carte blanche invitation to the United States to join the Russians in blasting the closely packed and highly inflammable Japanese industrial cities.

Both American and British quarters were silent officially on the trends of the virtually continuous conferences Gen. Marshall and Hopkins are holding with British leaders, because of the danger of tipping off the Axis on 1942 strategy. But no one is making a secret of the urgency with which they regard the matter of immediate aid to Russia.

The very presence here of Marshall and Hopkins at such a critical time—rather than a visit to other theatres—emphasized the British and United States view that Hitler at the moment is the No. 1 enemy and Russia is the main hope of liquidating him.

'Tired' So Just Took Mail To Home

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 11.—(AP)—A former postman who explained he had failed to deliver mail addressed to more than 2,000 persons because he was "tired," pleaded guilty to two federal charges of violation of postal regulations.

Robert F. Morris, 57, admitted to Federal Judge Edgar S. Vaught that he had taken mail home with him and dumped it into a big box instead of delivering it.

When he resigned his job as mail carrier, Morris placed the box in storage. When he failed to pay the charges, the box was opened and the undelivered mail and parcels discovered.

His case was referred to the probation officer with sentencing set for next Saturday.

Want Place In War Program

Ellsworth Green, Jr., secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, was appointed a member of a special committee, at a meeting held in Jefferson City Friday attended by a number of representatives of chambers of commerce from seven Missouri cities. George H. Scruton, editor of the Democrat-Capital was appointed, by this committee, as chairman of a publicity committee.

Attending the meeting from Sedalia were Mr. Green, Mr. Scruton, I. H. Reed, J. F. Downs and Judge Lon E. Leslie.

The "get together" was held for the purpose of discussing central Missouri's place in the national defense program, and ways and means of interesting the government officials in the possibilities of this area.

On the committee with Mr. Green were named Lawrence Jones, Moberly, Percy Floyd, Boonville, Hugh Points, Columbia, Dwight Bedell, Jefferson City, and E. Y. Burton, Mexico.

This committee will meet at Columbia Monday, to formulate a plan of action, and to interest other adjacent towns and cities in the program.

The purpose of the program will be two-fold, first in the interest of present day activities, secondly to keep in mind what must be done during the post war period.

The Weather

Scattered showers and warmer Sunday, with local thunderstorms afternoon and evening.

Sunrise And Sunset

Sunrise 6:47 a. m.; Sunset 7:50.

Phases Of The Moon

New moon April 15; First quarter April 30.

• Lincoln

Maye Messersmith

Mrs. Edward Kullman and Mrs. K. F. Davis were luncheon guests last Thursday of Mrs. Raymond Anton in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. Morris and son, Gene of Buena Vista, Colo., arrived recently for a brief visit with their parents, Mrs. Anna Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keseman, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boehmer and family and Calvin Boehmer went to Kansas City Easter and visited Miss Armeline Boehmer and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drake and family of Warsaw and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Williams and family of Ionia were dinner guests last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Anna Martin.

Mrs. Kenneth M. Henry and daughter, Virginia May, were in Kansas City last week, and returned the latter part of the week. They returned to the city Monday, where Virginia May received treatment for an ear ailment.

The Rev. J. W. Watts conducted a pre-Easter service each night during Passion week, and on Sunday morning additions to the church included Dewey Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Chaney and three daughters, Mrs. Hale, S. J. Cirrincione, Misses Eloise, Eleanor and Arma Lee Corman, Mrs. Lawrence Wischmier, Lester Fischer, Frederick Lynch and J. W. Watts, Jr.

Miss Elizabeth Hunt, of Columbia, spent the past week-end at her home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stanfield had as dinner guests last Sunday Mrs. J. W. Payne and son, Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton and daughter, Mrs. Abbott, all of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs Otis Smith and chilnedr of Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanes and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Huff and Margie, Miss Louise Lumpe.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Barker and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Merideth and son, of Grandview, visited Superintendent and Mrs. Ross E. Taylor Thursday afternoon and Friday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr., had as week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Wisdom, Jr., of Tipton, Mrs. Anne Wisdom Humphrey and Mrs. Delphis Doyle of Kansas City and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wisdom of Green Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beatty, of Pacific, arrived last week. Mr. Beatty is relief agent at the depot while R. J. Rogers, the regular agent, is on vacation.

Mrs. R. C. McCandless went to Pleasant Hill last Thursday where she visited with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Philips, and assisted her in moving. Mrs. McCandless came home Saturday evening, and with her husband was dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCandless.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hare had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs R. L. Neas and daughters, of Warsaw, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Standard and Kathryn of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hare and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Owen of Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wear, Miss Melva Loertcher, Miss Nellie Salley and Mrs. Pearl Bushong of Kansas City and Mrs. Lela Chamberlain of Denver, Colo., went to Fairfield Sunday, where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perry of Kansas City were guests last Saturday and Sunday of Mrs. Kate Perry. On Sunday they vsited Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McCandless and others in the Sunnyside community.

Mr .and Mrs. Lester Roark and and Mrs. Nettie Roark visited with relatives at Macks Creek last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Casey and children of Kansas City visited last Saturday night in the Leste Roark home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pohl entertained Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. White, Jr., at a fish dinner in Warsaw Wednesday evening. Mr. White left Tuesday to report for duty in the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allgaier were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Autrieth at Warsaw Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kenney arrived here from the state of California last Saturday evening, and Mr. Kenney went to Kansas City, where he is employed, but Mrs. Kenney will remain here for a few weeks to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McFarland. They, with Mrs. C. S. Southard and Mrs. Lee Lane of Fristoe and Norman Huebner and Anna May Langeston were dinner guests at the McFarland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meuschke and son, James, spent the past week-end in Kansas City as guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. "Happy" Yeager and Mr. Yeager.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keseman and daughter, Marie, of Kansas City, entertained with a family dinner last Sunday, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. Morris and son, Gene, of Buena Vista, Colo. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Louie Keseman and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kreisel and son, Edward Keseman and Lawrence Schumacker of Kansas City.

Mrs. Kunz, and son arrived here last Saturday afternoon from their home on the island of Cuba, and with George Kunz, a son who has been here for the past few years, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kunz.

Exercises At Dunbar School

The closing exercises of Dunbar school, Georgetown, will be held at 8:15 o'clock Thursday night. The teacher is Ruth E. Shepard.

Following is the program to be given:

Part 1—Eighth grade graduation exercises; Opening song, "America The Beautiful"; national prayer, Hazel Mae Molden; song, "God Bless America"; oration, "Youth," Robert Nurse; class song, "As Night Draws Nigh"; awarding of diploma and remarks by Arthur Glasgow, president of the young men's alumni club; graduation song.

Part 2—Flag drill, pupils; patriotic play, "Long May It Wave," announcements; closing song, "Star Spangled Banner," by congregation.

Four To Serve Time In Jail

The four men arrested at LaMonte last Thursday night on a charge of disturbing the peace of Terry Files, Saturday morning, pleaded guilty to Justice of the Peace I. A. Cross at LaMonte and were fined $15 and costs each. Unable to pay the fines the men were commited to the county jail for thirteen days.

The four are H. A. Griffith, W. G. Paulson, A. J. Nettles and Sam McKenzie.

According to Files they had been in his place of business for several hours "mooching" drinks and cursing. About 7 o'clock their conduct became such that Mr. Files called for members of the sheriff's department to come to LaMonte to quell the disturbers.

GOP Women's Club Postpones Meeting

The Pettis County Republican Women's club has postponed its regular meeting scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, to the second Tuesday in May, the regular May meeting.

AMPHIBIAN CAR GETS ALONG SWIMMINGLY



Crossing the Ohio river in water more than 40 feet deep, an amphibian personnel carrier shows what it can do. The Army is testing this experimental water wagon at Ft. Knox, Ky.

This Sergeant Acts Dual Role With Carrier Pigeons and Bayonets

A worker of miracles is Master Sergeant Max Bronkhorst. At Fort Sam Houston, Texas, he is engaged in the dual capacity of training homing pigeons for the Signal Corps and in teaching New York clerks, Pennsylvania steel workers and young farmers from half a dozen states in the dexterous use of the bayonet.

He has been breeding carrier pigeons since his boyhood in Rotterdam, Holland, nearly half a century ago. He brought a basketful of his Dutch birds to America long before the first World War and with him they entered the United States Army. Both made good. Nearly everybody knows how pigeons are used in modern warfare for auxiliary communications and for pilots of airplanes whose radios go wrong. Parachute troops and military intelligence agents also need the courageous feathered messengers.

Very few are downed by gunfire, the sergeant says, but a good many are killed by hawks and cats. He declares that with the best of food and care a pigeon will serve the Army and the nation for as long as 10 years.

Bronkhorst is equally enthusiastic in his work as an instructor in bayonet practice. He acquired his skill with the steel weapon while serving in the Dutch army and majored in its use in the A. E. F. He is especially proud of his bayoneteers in the squads at Fort Sam Houston.



—U. S. SIGNAL CORPS PHOTO.

Sergt. Max Bronkhorst

I have never seen anything like them, he says. These men are just superior, and that's all there is to it. I've seen bayonet fighters of all races but none will be able to stand up against these American boys.

Soldiers from the farms, adept in handling the pitchfork, are handy with the bayonet but he singles out the Pennsylvanians for the highest praise.

"Especially these Polish boys from the steel mills," the sergeant grins. "The Poles have a perpetual resentment of the wrongs suffered by their native land. They can come to grips."

Church Events

The circles of the First Methodist church will meet this week as follows:

Gasperson circle, 2 p. m. Thursday with Mrs. J. J. Hanrahan, 227 South Prospect avenue; assistant hostesses, Mrs. L. C. Miller and Mrs. Tom Garrett.

Swan circle, 2 p. m. Thursday with Mrs. Lee Peabody, 1319 South Osage avenue; assistants, Mrs. E. A. Edwards and Mrs. Wilbur Bassett.

Curran circle, 2 p. m. Thursday with Mrs. J. A. DeJarnette, rural route 4; assistants, Mrs. Earl Evans and Mrs. W. T. Curran.

Dow circle, 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Clyde Brown, 604 West Fifth street.

Lenten envelopes should be brought to the circle meetings.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's society of the Christian Service of Epworth M. E. church, will meet at the church at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, preceded by an executive meeting at 1:30 o'clock.

Martin and Clark Circle will quilt, beginning at 9 o'clock. Mrs. Roscoe Rychman will review the study book, "The Work of the Woman in the City Church" from 10 to 11 o'clock.

There will be a social session at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon in charge of Mrs. Joe Self's Circle.

The Bible study class will meet at 6:30 o'clock tonight (Sunday) in the church, with Mrs. Irwin Raut as teacher. The theme will be "Way of Praying."

Boone County Probate Judge Marries Here

Miss Susie Ellen Arnold and Judge George Starrett, both of Columbia were married at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon by Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church at the parsonage, 315 West Fourth street.

Mr. Starrett is probate judge in Columbia and is president of the board of stewards of the Wilkes Boulevard Methodist church.

The couple will reside in Columbia.

Divorce Action Filed

A divorce suit was filed in Circuit Court Saturday by Ella Flora Gauldin, against Martin A. Gauldin, and the petition alleged general indignities. The couple was married October 14, 1940 and separated on March 31, 1942.

Injured Man Leaves Hospital

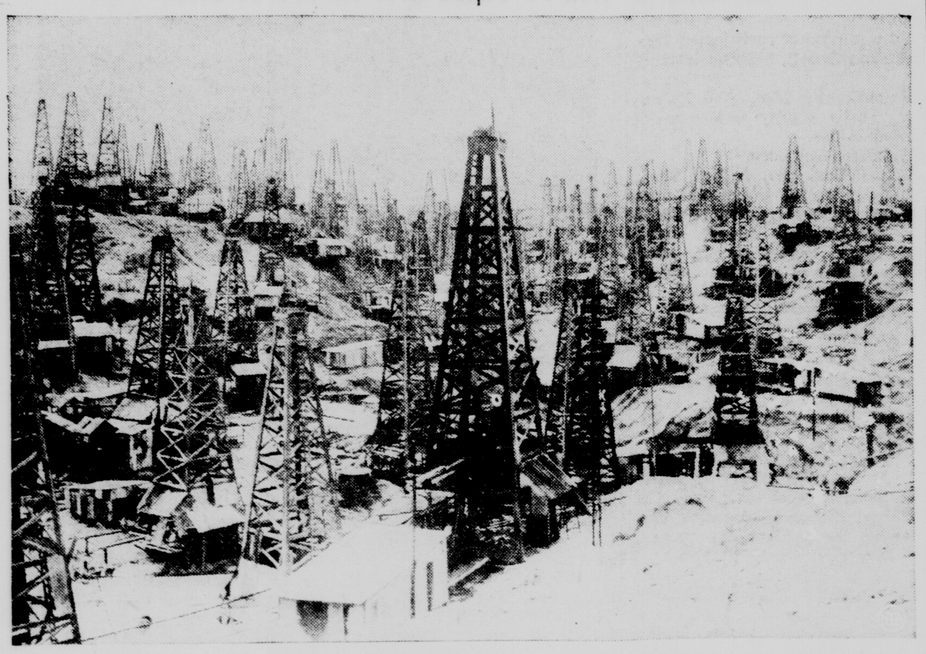
Allie Goff, found in the 300 block on East Johnson street, Friday night, suffering from the loss of blood from two head wounds received, according to his statement, from a Negro who "slugged" him, was released from the Bothwell hospital early Saturday morning

Goff who gave his address as 402 South Babcock, told the police he had been slugged while walking on Jefferson street. He received a laceration on the back of his head and one on the side of his head.

He was treated by Dr. E. C. Snavely.

German ingenuity long before the war had perfected and was operating, though with heavy government subsidy, a vast industry making petroleum from coal and lignite by two synthetic processes.

This Is What the Japs Want in Burma



These oil wells, clustered as thickly as any in Oklahoma, stand at Yenang-yaung, Burma, before attacking Japanese forces intent upon seizing the rich field.

Proud Father Is At Pearl Harbor

Lieutenant William E. Clasen, of the United States marine corps is probably the proudest man around Pearl Harbor these days, and Mrs. Clasen's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Connelly, of this city are just as proud.

Mrs. Clasen gave birth to a nine pound, eleven ounce son, Thursday night, at Lakeside hospital, Kansas City She was at an airport near Pearl Harbor December 7, when the Japs attacked. Her husband hid her in an ice box while the raiders dropped their bombs. She returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McNeil, 915 Cleveland avenue, Kansas City, Kas., last month.

Mrs. Clasen's mother is the former Miss Louise Connelly, of this city, and Mr. McNeil is also a former Sedalian.

Marriage Licenses Issued

George Simpson Starrett and Susan Ellen Arnold, both of Columbia.

Otto F. Meyer and Hulda Meyer both of Cole Camp.

Lodge Meeting Tuesday

Sedalia Mayflower Lodge, No. 141, B. of R. T. will meet Tuesday afternoon at the Woodman-Maccabee hall.

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Smith-Cotton PTA Meeting

The regular board meeting of the Smith-Cotton high school Parent Teachers council at 7:00 o'clock Monday night will be followed by the final P. T. A. meeting at 8 o'clock.

An achievement program will be given with the freshmen class presenting the winning intramural play. Also appearing on the program will be two finalists, in the forensic league competitions at Springfield last month.

They are Bob Cain, who was runner-up in extemporaneous speaking and Cecil Swift, runner-up in humorous declamations.

A large attendance at the meeting is urged by the P. T. A. president, T. H. Yount.

Commission To John F. Cashman

John Francis Cashman, 3909 Manheim Road, Kansas City, has received his commission as first lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air Service Command, and has been ordered to report to San Bernardino, Calif., for active duty.

Mr. Cashman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cashman of Houstonia. For the past eighteen years he has resided in Kansas City and during these eighteen years has been associated with the Ford Motor company of that city.

Mrs. J. F. Cashman, formerly Miss Genevieve Paradis of Sedalia, and three children, John Francis, Jr., Thomas Joseph, and Caroline Cashman, expect to join Mr. Cashman in San Bernardino the latter part of May.

'Dads' Night Whittier PTA

The "dad's night" program at the Whittier P. T. A. meeting at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night will feature a fashion show. The program is under the direction of LeRoy Dent.

There will be a contest of "the most beautiful pair of masculine legs," the judges to be three beauty queens from Smith-Cotton high school.

Richard Keenan will be the speaker of the evening.

Twenty-five fathers of the Whittier P. T. A. will participate in the program, and incidental music for the fashion show will be furnished by Rollin Godfrey.

The Service Circle of Sedalia Chapter No. 57 O. E. S. will meet on Wednesday April 15 at the home of Mrs. Bushey—2207 South Kentucky at 2:00 o'clock. Assisting hostesses—Mrs. Peter Hoffman—Mrs. J. P. Rodeman—Mrs. John Turner—Mrs. George Wilson and Mrs. J. R. Henderson. All members of the O. E. S. invited.

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Lee Whole Grain **Corn** 2 cans 25c
Swansdown Cake **Flour** pkg. 22c
Post-Tens pkg 25c

Boneless Pork **Steak** lb. 38c
Brookfield **Butter** lb. 36c
No. 2 size—Lee Red **Beans** 3 cans 25c

Fresh Country Eggs Doz. 25c

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"So Rich it Whipps" **Carolene** 3 each 7c-cans 19c
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Place Of Meeting

The Maplewood Better Homes Extension club which was to have met at the home of Mrs. James Ellis on Tuesday, April 14, will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Rissler, rural route 5, Wednesday, April 15.

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A pan filled with hot coals was used to warm the beds of early American colonists. The pan was swished about rapidly between the sheets to prevent scorching.



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• Tipton

Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass

Six young men from Tipton entrained Tuesday for Jefferson Barracks, as selectees. They are: John Albin, William Farris, Bernie Seiber, Ed Claas, George Pedigo and Earl Wolf.

On Saturday evening, at Rennie's cafe, a going away party was given for Messrs Albin and Farris, with a number of their friends present for a pleasant evening. A gift was presented each.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hardy, of Kansas City, were Easter vacation guests of Mr. Hardy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hostetter and son, Jimmie, of St. Louis, are guests of Mrs. Hostetter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Farris, and Mr. Hostetter's father, S. Hostetter, of near Florence.

Miss Marguerite Crawford, of St. Louis, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Crawford.

Misses Mary Elizabeth Hays and Miss Sarah Louise Hays, of St. Louis, employed in the school system, were at home for the Easter holidays with the former's mother, Mrs. Oscar Hays, and the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hays who also had as their guests Dr. Fred Frerkins, of St. Louis.

Miss Naomi Newkirk and uncle, A. C. Gigas, of Kansas City, were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass.

K. Ring left Thursday for Oklahoma for a visit with his son, who is entering the service.

Mrs. Cora Hoehn went to St. Louis Sunday to spend a few days with her son, Henry Hoehn, who is going into the army.

George Wolf, who was called to Tipton by the serious illness of his father, V. A. Wolf, a patient in the Boonville hospital, returned Wednesday to his home in Minneapolis, leaving his father much improved.

Miss Ruth Smith, of Kansas City, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Smith, of near Tipton.

Mrs. Anna Rosenhan, who a dinner Sunday at her home, recognizing her birthday. With her were members of her family, and other guests, Mrs. Fred Etzbach, St. Louis, Miss Delphine Rosenhan, Lester Rosenhan, Jr., and Dr. Buell Morton, of the home, Mrs. Victor Rosenhan, and son, John Kirk, and Lester Rosenhan, of Jefferson City, Mrs. John Kirkpatrick, Misses Johnnie and Margaret Kirkpatrick, of Bunceton.

Mrs. Victor Rosenhan and son, of Jefferson City, are spending some time as guests of her mother, Mrs. John Kirkpatrick, of Bunceton, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Anna Rosenhan, of Tipton, prior to joining Mr. Rosenhan, who has been transferred from Jefferson City to Cherryvale, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hays entertained at dinner Sunday Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Garrison, and three children of Camdenton.

Mrs. Ed Roth, of the high school faculty, went to Cheyenne, Wyo., for the Easter vacation, to be with her husband, who is in training there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stratman had as guests Easter Sunday Mr. Stratman's father, William Stratman, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Henning and family, Miss Ora Stratman, of Concordia, Mrs. Herman Rekhop, of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Conn had as guests this week of their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Neill, of Princeton.

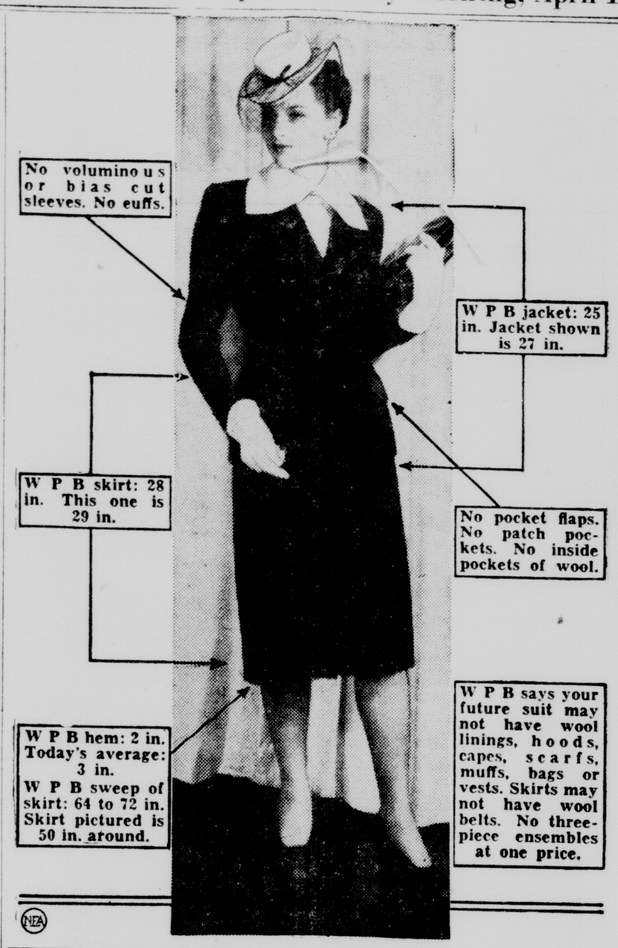
Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Vogel and daughter, Sandra Lu, of St. Louis, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vogel.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Norman had as their house guests, last week, their granddaughter, Mrs. Max Billinger, who was enroute from Minnespolia to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Harris, of Wichita.

Ho Kan, Hero



Chinese quartermaster aboard the British ship Empress of Japan, Ho Kan has received the British Empire medal for remaining at the wheel through severe bombing attacks.



• Clarksburg

By MRS. MAUDE ALBIN

Independence school, at which Miss Bernice Baily is instructor, closed Friday evening. The school presented a patriotic program, with eighth grade graduation ceremonies following. The students, Lola Mae Donley and Robert Barbour, Jr., were graduated. Supt. Aaron Smith of the Clarksburg high school delivered the graduation address and presented the diplomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Miller moved last Thursday from their farm north of Clarksburg to California to reside.

Mrs. John Cantlon, of Warrensburg, spent a few days last week visiting her brother-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cantlon and another sister-in-law, Mrs. Sue Jobe. Mrs. Cantlon was a resident of Clarksburg many years before going to Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Birdsong of Kansas City spent the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Effie Birdsong, and with her father, H. B. Sappington.

Rev. and Mrs. Denzil Albin went to Jefferson City, Thursday, taking Mrs. Albin's school students to that place for an outing of a few days and making a visit to the state capitol and other places of interest.

Mrs. William Bender and children, Clara Ann and Anthony, of Moberly spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Battles and family, and her sister, Mrs. Pete Koechner and Mr. Koechner.

Floyd Wingate, who is attending business college at Chillicothe came home for the Easter holidays.

Two Happy Families

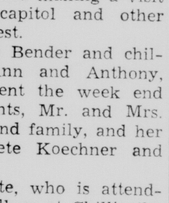
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Dr. Roy W. Fouts of Omaha, chairman of the medical procurement and assignment service of the seventh corps area, speaking at a meeting of the second American congress of obstetrics and gynechology, said to the attending physicians:

"This is no short program. At first we planned on five years then we changed and now we're planning on 10 years.

"There are only three things we will consider in granting deferment to a doctor. Is he needed in his community? Is he needed in industry. Is he needed for teaching?

"You folks had better get into this right now. Somebody else will have to do the work you are doing. In cities like St. Louis we will leave just one physician for 2,000 persons."

• Ionia

By MRS. HOMER HOWE

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mueller, of near Hannibal, visited with Mr. Mueller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mueller and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hesse of Lincoln.

Mrs. Maude Butterworth of Sedalia is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Homer Howe and Mr. Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wood of Kansas City were overnight guests Saturday of Mr. Wood's sister, Mrs. Clarence Neil and Mr. Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Renfrow had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Roberts and daughter, Virginia Lee of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thomas of Sedalia also visited them.

Dr. Willard Nixon of Jefferson City visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Nixon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff of Warrensburg were dinner guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smart, Clayton, Louis and Nancy Smart, Mrs. Opal Carnes and Charldean drove to Bagnell Sunday.

Edgar Roscehke of Kansas City spent the Easter vacation with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Roschke.

Mrs. Calus Miesner is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miesner of Cole Camp, assisting Mrs. Miesner, who fell Sunday and fracutred her arm.

Mrs. Harold Brockman is staying with Mrs. Max Riecke who recently underwent an operation at Bothwell hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Roschke attended the funeral Thursday of Rev. Roschke's mother at Freistatt, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bruns of Cole Camp and Elmo Bruns of Fort Leonard Wood were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wienberg.

Mrs. Lucy Bickle and son, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schnabel and children, Charles Schnabel of Kansas City and Mrs. Nona Harkless of Springfield attended the funeral Monday of their father, L. J. Schnabel.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelb and children, who are residing at Springfield, where Mr. Kelb is employed, spent the weekend here. They were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. Kelb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelb of Lincoln.

Miss Betty Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Woods of the Woodcrest Dairy, Sedalia, who is employed in the Student Finance Department of the University of Missouri says:



"I didn't realize when I entered the college last June just what the training there could do. I was happy in my school work and am very happy with my position. To me Central Business College of Sedalia, Mo., is the best ever."

That's ATS



Women buglers of Britain's ATS (Auxiliary Territorial Service) parade through Hyde Park, London.

Large Increase In Newspaper Readers

NEW YORK, April 11—(AP)—More people are reading the newspapers since the entry of the United States into the war, Editor and Publisher, trade journal, said Friday.

The publication said a survey of 24 cities showed increases in newspaper sales of as much as 17 percent for the first three months of 1942 over the last quarter of 1941. Most of the increase ranged from one to eight percent.

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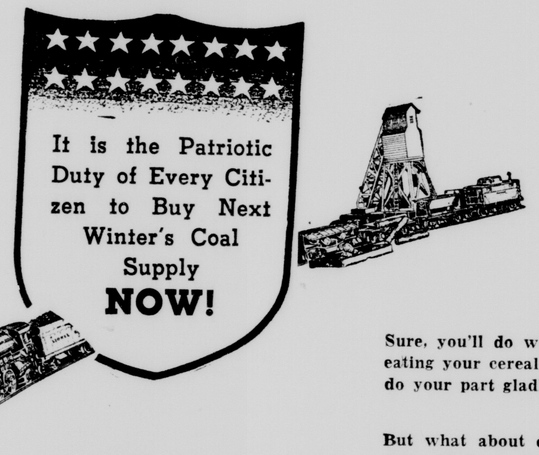
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But what about doing without coal in your coal bin next winter? Well now, that's a different story, isn't it? Not that you're unwilling to do anything you can to help win the war. But being without heat for your home is a serious proposition, you say. You bet it's serious, and you had better treat it as a serious problem to be solved right now.

The Government does not want you or anyone else to suffer from lack of coal next winter. But they do expect you to take steps to prevent such a thing happening . . . now, while you can. The office of Solid Fuels Co-ordination warns that not only is the war increasing the need for coal, but transportation facilities will be overburdened hauling vital war materials next fall and winter . . . and the movement of war materials must take precedence over everything else, including coal. Coal is available now. The railroads are still in a position to haul it . . . NOW! You are requested to fill your coal bin to capacity while it is possible for you to do so . . .NOW!

Keep the Railroads Rolling

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No industry is more essential to our war efforts than the railroads and they have a big job to do. Troops, munitions, and war materials necessary to victory must be kept rolling. That's why every coal user must buy coal now while transportation facilities are available to haul it. Because the railroads will be meeting the emergency demands of the war next fall and winter at the time they are usually hauling coal.

There is still ample time for you to build up your coal supply as insurance against running short next winter. BUT NOW IS THE TIME TO DO IT—ORDER TODAY!

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The Pettis County Council of Defense joins in urging your early buying of next winter's coal supply.

Tuesday Opens 1942 Baseball Season

Yankees Favored In American And Cards In National

Eastern Clubs Will Have Extinguishers Sand And Signs In Case Of Air Raids

BY JUDSON BAILY

NEW YORK, April 11—(AP)—Sounding a familiar American note above the din of world-wide war, baseball's two major leagues will swing into action Tuesday in a new pennant serial they hope will be as enthralling as any of their previous peacetime adventures.

Both the fans and the players of the 16 clubs have had six or eight weeks of buildup for the opening of the season and the getaway is expected to be made with customary fanfare.

The opening day program calls for:

American League

New York at Washington
Philadelphia at Boston
Cleveland at Detroit
St. Louis at Chicago

National League

Brooklyn at New York
Boston at Philadelphia
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati
Chicago at St. Louis

There will be plenty of evidences of the war. Familiar players like Hank Greenberg, Bob Feller, Hugh Mulcahy and Cecil Travis are among the 64 who entered the army and navy. Uniforms will carry "Hale America" insignia. War stamps will be sold by vendors in some parks and the New York Giants will require holders of passes to also buy war stamps for admission. Parks on the east coast will have signs and sand and extinguishers in readiness for air raids. There will be more than twice as many night games at last year, a total of 158.

Curtailed Games In 1918

During the First World War most minor leagues collapsed and the majors curtailed their 1918 season under the press of a governmental "work or fight" demand on all citizens.

But there is no present reason to believe that the current campaign will not be carried through in full. In January President Roosevelt wrote Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis that it was his personal view that "it would be best for the country to keep baseball going" because people "ought to have a chance for recreation and for taking their minds off their work even more than before."

Under this impetus baseball is proceeding as nearly normal as possible and public interest seems to be almost as intense as in other years.

The world champion New York Yankees are overwhelming favorites to capture their sixth American league pennant in seven years and another tingling struggle is in prospect in the National League with the St. Louis Cardinals generally favored to oust the Brooklyn Dodgers from the championship they bagged last year.

Some observers (including this one, for the record) believe Brooklyn is capable of repeating and still others are counting on the Cincinnati Reds coming through.

All estimates, of course, are of less value this year than usual because key men of several clubs may be drafted during the season and the uncertainties of attendance in war time may influence the trading and selling of players.

Probable Pitchers In Tuesday Games

NEW YORK, April 11—(AP)—Probable pitchers in the opening games of the major leagues Tuesday, with last year's record in parenthesis:

American League

New York at Washington—Bonham (9-6) or Chandler (10-4) vs. Hudson (13-14).

Philadelphia at Boston—Marchildon (10-15) vs. Newsome (18-10) or Dobson (12-5).

Cleveland at Detroit—Bagby (9-15) vs. Benton (15-6).

St. Louis at Chicago—Auker (14-15) or Muncrief (13-9) vs. Rigney (113-15).

National League

Brooklyn at New York—Davis (13-7) vs. Hubbell (11-5) or McGee (2-10)

Coston at Philadelphia—Tobin (12-12) or Javery (10-11) vs. Blanton (6-13) or Jonson (5-12).

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati—Butcher (17-12) vs. Walters (19-15)

Chicago at St. Louis—Passeau (14-14) vs. Cooper (16-6).

Young beavers hitchhike on the backs and tails of their parents.

The state of Washington boosted its population from 1,563,396 in 1930 to 1,721,376 in 1940.

Saturday Results Exhibition Baseball

At Chicago, Ill.

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Chicago (N) 000 000 30x—3 6 0
Lyons, Rigney (4), Grove (7) and Tresh; W. Lee, Bithborn (5), Kush (8), Flores (8), Pressnell (8) and McCullough, Hernandez (5), Scheffing (7.

At Wichita, Kas.

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Pitts (N) .... 021 000 00x—3 11 2
McCrabb, Caligirui (4), Shirley (7) and Hayes; Lanning, Butcher (4) Hamlin (7) and Baker.

At Washington, D. C.

Phila. (N) .. 020 000 600—8 12 1
Wash. (A) 000 000 000 —0 4 2
Johnson, Blanton (6) and Warren; Wilson, Zuber (8) and Early.

New York Giants at Clevelond canceled weather.

At Boston—Boston Red Sox vs. Boston Braves, canceled weather.

At Dayton: Cincinnati-Detroit canceled, weather.

Sedalia Has Most Winners In Tournament

Pauline McCarty of Hughesville Wins In The Girls Division

The Sedalia Chamber of Commerce marble tournament, the second annual affair was played Saturday morning with more enthusiasm than in the first tournament a year ago. Fifty-seven entries played out of the 135 which were registered.

Hughesville had more out-of-town entries than any other county representation with eight boys and girls participating. Pauline McCarty of Hughesville sailed through the Class A division for the girls to win the championship and $2.50 in Defense Stamps.

Town marble shooters made a clean sweep with the exception of the title which went to Miss McCarty.

Much Interest Displayed

The interest was greatly displayed by the boys and girls as well as more than seventy-five spectators. Each contest was a hard played battle, and probably the most exciting of the players was Bobby Dean Lane, second grader from Jefferson school, who put on an exhibition in the preliminaries. He cleaned the ring of thirteen marbles in as many shots, but in the semi-finals weakened and lost by one marble.

Robert "Bob" Overstreet, chairman of the Retail Merchants Division of the Chamber of Commerce was on hand and presented the prizes of Defense Stamps to the various winners.

Class A—Boys: Dale Sands, Jefferson school, $2.50 in stamps for first place. Edward Oversby, Whittier, fifty-cents in stamps, for second place.

Class B—Boys: Eugene Russell, Whittier, $2.50 in stamps for first place; Bus Anderson, Jefferson, fifty-cents in stamps, for second place.

Class A—Girls: Pauline McCarty, Hughesville, $2.50 in stamps for first place; Norma Hess, Washington, fifty-cents in stamps for second place.

Class B—Girls: Betty Lou Beck, Jefferson, $2.50 in stamps for first place; Louise Smith, Jefferson, fifty-cents in stamps for second place.

A Mass of Freckles

Charles Billingsley, Whittier school, blossomed out with the most freckles among the contestants. Billingsley's face was literally covered and freckles were more prominent because of his flaming red hair. Six other contestants were given some marbles. He received fifty-cents in Defense Stamps.

Harvey Young, Mark Twain school, had the best lingo on marble shooting and received fifty-cents in stamps.

R. M. Ryskman instructor at Whittier and William Finley, instructor at Jefferson, were the officials of the tournament. They were assisted by Dean Murray, Charley West, Mrs. Eunice Conway, Oral Jones, John Stansberry, Charles Homan, and Clarence Beard of the Sedalia and Pettis County WPA Recreational program. Thomas P. Farris, supervisor of the program, was in charge.

The topic of the tournament among the entries was the fact they were receiving Defense Stamps instead of money. Many had said their parents would match their winnings with Defense Stamps, and one winner declared his $2.50 made him nearly $10 in stamps.

Cardinals Win First Game With Browns

ST.LOUIS, April 11—(AP)—Getting the kind of brilliant pitching with which they expect to win the National league pennant, the St. Louis Cardinals defeated the American league Browns today, 7 to 2, in the opener of their annual two-game city series.

Southpaw Ernie White yielded only two harmless singles in the first five innings and right hander Harry Gumbert followed with three no-hit frames before the Browns came through in the ninth to score on a double, a single and an error.

Hornets Will Open Season At Smithton

M.T.S. All-Stars First Club To Play On The Smithton Diamond

The 1942 baseball season for the Smithton Hornets on their home diamond opens this afternoon at the Smithton ball park. The game will get underway at 2:30 o'clock with the Hornets crossing bats with the Missouri Training school All-Stars team from Boonville.

In spite of the rains of the past week which washed the diamond and made it very rough, the team worked all day Saturday dragging and working over the diamond, getting it ready for the opener. Weather conditions permitting, the diamond should be in excellent condition and a good game can be expected.

Have Met Before

These two teams in a meeting last season battled for ten innings with the M.T.S. aggregation coming out on the long end of the 5 to 4 score. That game is still in the craw of the Hornets, who hope to avenge the defeat. The Smithton team won the last ten games on the 1941 schedule and opened this year by winning the first game last Sunday at Boonville.

Smithton is a colorful and young aggregation, built around a strong infield and a star youthful southpaw pitcher in Bobby Brunkhorst.

The Hornets' starting lineup for today is composed of: Gene Bremer, third base; Junior Bohon, second base; Bob Curtis, shortstop; Paul Selken, first base; John Dove, left field; Mark Lamm, right field; Edgar Curtis, centerfield; Bill Green, catcher and Brunkhorst pitch.

Columbus Is Choice Of The A. A. Writers

K. C. Blues Are Put In Third Spot In Year's Prediction

COLUMBUS O., April 11—(AP)—Baseball writers of the American Association came up today with their predictions for 1942, the consensus selecting the clubs to finish in this order: Columbus, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Indianapolis, Louisville, Minneapolis, Toledo and St. Paul.

Only Toledo and St. Paul failed to receive a first place vote from the 24 scribes, Columbus and Milwaukee leading the list with eight each for the top spot. The Red Birds, league and little world series champs, swept into the consensus leadership, however, on the strength of 10 second place ballots while the Brewers were getting but one.

A Point System

Awarding eight points for a first place vote, seven for second, etc., the scribes gave Columbus a total of 166, Milwaukee 138, and Kansas City 137, the Blues falling to third by a single point although garnering but two votes for first place.

Indicating the writers were just a bit confused and uncertain regarding the relative strength of the clubs, Louisville and Minneapolis drew votes for all eight positions; Milwaukee, Kansas City, Indianapolis and Toledo were named for seven spots, while Columbus was picked for the first five and St. Paul for the last five.

Most surprising feature of the balloting was the selection of Milwaukee, last placer in 1941, to battle it out with the Red Birds for the pennant, and Indianapolis' boost to fourth place after finishing sixth last season.

Here's How Scribes Voted

Club	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	pts.
Columbus	8	10	3	2	1	0	0	0	166
Milwaukee	8	1	4	4	4	2	0	1	138
Kansas City	2	5	10	3	1	1	2	0	137
Indianapolis	4	5	3	4	0	1	5	2	120
Louisville	1	1	2	3	7	7	2	1	96
Minneapolis	1	1	1	2	6	6	6	1	86
Toledo	0	1	1	5	3	5	6	3	80
St. Paul	0	0	0	1	2	2	3	16	41

Defense Stamps Awarded In Annual Marble Tourney



Top: Robert "Bob" Overstreet, right, awards defense stamps to Charles Billingsley, Whittier school, for having the most freckles, while, center, is Harvey Young, Mark Twain school who talked the best marbie lingo.

At the left, Pauline McCarthy, Hughesbille, receives $2.50 in stamps for winning the Class A girls division. Mrs. Eunice Conway, Hughesville, looks on with a proud smile.

Top right: Dale Sands, Jefferson school, winner of the Class A, boys division, is shooting out the winning marble. Bottom: Harold Hunt, Broadway school, shows the youngsters in Class B how to do it. However, he lost later in the contest.

Outlook of Each Team In Major Leagues At Opening of Season

As they line up at the post, however, here is the outlook for each club in thumbnail:

American League

NEW YORK—The Yankees are as strong as last year and should slide along to the pennant at their usual calm but confident gait. There will be two changes in the lineup at the start, Gerry Priddy at third and either rookie Ed Levy or Buddy Hassett, the veteran National Leaguer, at first, a position made vacant by Johnny Sturm's enlistment in the army. The Yanks still have Joe DiMaggio, Joe Gordon, Charley Keller and company, with the veteran pitchers reinforced by some capable freshmen.

BOSTON—The Red Sox looked like a strong second place club in the south with Rookie John Pesky at shortstop filling out a fine infield and Ted Williams leading a dangerous-hitting outfield combine. However,Pesky is class 1-A and catcher Frank Pytlak already is headed for the navy. The pitching seems better than at this time last year.

CHICAGO—Fine pitching is the hallmark of the White Sox and should be good enough for third place, the same as last year, and might squeeze them into second. Wally Moses will be a new face in the outfield and may help Chicago's puny attack.

CLEVELAND—Lou Boudreau, 24-year-old shortstop-manager, has instilled a new spirit in the Indians and is shooting for the first division. Whether the tribe makes it depends on how pitchers like Jim Bagby, old Mel Harder, Al Milnar and others make out trying to take up the slack of Bob Feller's enlistment in the navy, and on rookies Les Fleming at first and Oris Hockett in rightfield.

ST. LOUIS—The Browns have been tagged hard by the draft and are in a tight financial position that may force them to sell talent as they have done in the past. But Manager Luke Sewell has a good balance of pitching and hitting and his club will be troublesome. Rookie Vernon Stevens, is still a question mark.

DETROIT—The Tigers have been faltering ever since Hank Greenberg was drafted last season and now are in the process of widespread reorganization. There will be new faces at second base, shortstop and is two outfield positions this year. Buck Newsom, who pitched them to a pennant two years ago, has been sold to Washington. The club is riding a second division ticket.

WASHINGTON—Cecil Travis, the second leading hitter in the American league last year, and Buddy Lewis are among a dozen contributions the Senators have sent to the war. Newcomers will be at second, short, third and in two outfield berths. The pitching is adequate and the club is angling for a third baseman. If he is obtained the Senators would be in the midst of the middle-class scrappers, but they are slated for seventh now.

PHILADELPHIA—Old Connie building and rebuilding all his life, Mack, who seems to have been still is at it. Sam Chapman, Benny McCoy, Al Brancato, Rankin Johnson and others have gone into the service leaving vast holes in the A's, who finished last even with these fellows last year. Their doom is obvious.

National League

BROOKLYN—The Dodgers are a well balanced collection of Veterans with Arky Vaughan, Augie Galan, John Rizzo, Larry French and Billy Sullivan—all old and time-tested—added to the cast which copped the 1941 pennant. Vaughan, transferred to third from shortstop where he starred for 10 years with the Pirates, has added to the lustre of the team immeasurably. However, Pete Rieser, last year's National league batting champion and the rookie sensation of the season, has been reclassified from 3-A to 1-A and there is some doubt whether the pitching will be as effective as it was a year ago. If none of the parts wear out, the Dodgers can repeat. They know how.

ST. LOUIS—The Cardinals are mostly young and all fast. Their pitching is as good or better than any other big league club and they can hit, even though they will miss the authority John Mize used to carry to the plate. Rookie Stan Musial will be in leftfield and another recruit, Ray Sanders, is likely to open at first base. The kids will be up there around the top all season and have the equipment to win, although lacking the power of the Dodgers.

CINCINNATI—The stock in trade of the Reds still is pitching and they have plenty. They recently bought Gerald Walker to take care of leftfield and Ival Goodman looks like a new man in right. In addition Rollie Hemsley figures to improve their catching. But no one knows whether Frank McCormick is out of the batting slump that wrecked his 1941 season and rookie Bert Haas, replacing Bill Werber at third, must yet prove himself.

PITTSBURGH—Manager Frank Frish still is experimenting. Pete Coscarat, a week hitting second baseman for the Dodgers, will be at short Jim Wasdell, a reserve for Brooklyn, will open in right. And outfielder Bob Elliot will be at third. Anything can happen to the Pirates—and usually does.

CHICAGO—The Cubs shape up about the same as they finished last year, which was better than they started. They have fair pitching, real punch in Bill Nicholson and Babe Dahlgren, and the best third baseman in baseball in Stan Hack. But they are a jigsaw with several pieces missing.

NEW YORK—The Giants have done an extensive reconstruction job under the guidance of a new manager, Mel Ott. Since last year they have acquired Mize, Werber, Connie Ryan, Hank Lieber, Willard Marshall, Babe Barna, Tom Sunkel and others. Their pitching is inadequate and there is some question whether the veterans still can hit. If they can, the Giants have enough power to make a battle for first division.

BOSTON—The Braves have sent Bill Posedel and Carvell Rowell to the service and have added catcher Ernie Lombardi and a rookie outfielder, Tommy Holmes. Their service Chb
Their strength is about the same as last year when they landed in seventh.

PHILADELPHIA—New manager Hans Lobert has given the Phils pep, but they don't have the ability to get out of the cellar.

Pictor Returns To Winning Form Again

BOWIE, Md., April 11—(AP)—After four different efforts in Florida, W. L. Brann's Pictor returned today to the winning form which made him the uncrowned champion of racing in Maryland last fall.

The little bay son of Challenger II and Lady Ledgend toted top weight of 126 pounds over a slow track in 1:49 1/5 to win the $5,000 added mile and one sixteenth Southern Maryland handicap.

Pictor came from far back in the field of seven, was guided to the outside by George Woolf in the stretch run and drew away.

Jr. Legion To Play Today At Cole Camp

First Home Game Here May 10 In The Legion League

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This afternoon the Junior American Legion baseball team will play a practice game with the Cole Camp town team on the Cole Camp diamond. The game will start at 2:30 o'clock, and will be the first game the Legion has arranged this season.

Manager Cecil Glenn reports the club in good condition and ready to begin their season on May 10, when they play their first Legion League game of the season on the Liberty Park diamond. The team to be played will not be announced until after the schedule of the league has been arranged by the various teams.

Several Good Pitchers

Coach Gene Horner has been working hard getting the Legion pitchers in condition. Under the guidance of Horner the local pitching department should be far superior than any the team has had in several seasons. It is certain the mound workers will equal if not better any of the opposing teams in the league.

The squad is composed of the following players: Jack Livengood, first base and pitch; Donald Richardson, shortstop; Harold Hughes, Franklin Sedlock, Otis Thomas, Bud Brownfield, outfielders, Donald Weller and Warren Clark, catchers; Homer Goff, Horace Donath, Paul Ditton, pitchers, Raymond Hanpeter, second base; Bob Hunt, third base; Virgil Landers, second base, Marvin Kanter, outfield and first base.

The team will meet at the home of Manager Glenn at 1 o'clock this afternoon and go to Cole Camp by bus.

About 50 species of fish are able to give electric shocks.

"Cleopatra's Needles" are Egyptian obelisks, one of which is in New York and another in London.



EARLY in the spring I declared the usual support of this writer goes to the Cardinals to win the National League pennant. At least I have the consolation of having many REAL sports writers of the same opinion as myself. Yes I have missed the guess many times, but the old saying "if you stay hitched you'll get there some time."

In 1940 the Red Birds had a disastrous start. Manager Billy Southworth rallied the Birds to a third-place finish with the club playing the champion Cincinati Reds on even terms from mid-June until the season's close. The story of last year is familiar. Buffeted about by the injury jinx, the Cards lost out to the Brooklyn Dodgers the last week of the season.

Very similar tales in other years—1927, 1935, 1936, but the fact remains that in the last fifteen seasons, year in and year out, no National league team has had a better record than the Cards Scoring the record by 8 points for finishing first, 7 for second and so on down to 1 point, we find the Cards having a standing of 93½ points, against the closest competitor, the New York Giants with 92. The half point came as a second-place tie with the Cubs in 1936.

They have four first places, second five times, third once, fourth twice, fifth and sixth twice since 1927. You can't beat that for being consistent.

DICK ROHN, a real baseball authority in Sedalia, declares that he can't see anything but the Cardinals finishing on top this year. They have everything in pitching, and the club has been hitting good. Dick seldom misses a guess on baseball so we ride togethes this seaon.

WE note in the University of Misopri sports dispatches that Ray Ravl and Paul Meyers have been entered as Tiger members of the Missouri track team going to the Kansas relays. Ravl has been given the assignment of mile run, four mile run, and the Sprint Medley Relay. Meyers gets the running high-jump assignment.

Both these boys have been keeping the name of Smith-Cotton and Sedalia on the recording books of the University of Missouri Sports these past three years. Indications that several Smith-Cotton boys will be outstanding this coming year at M. U.

IN the news releases of the Missouri Conservation Commission we note the farm pond owners can benefit their ponds for fishing by doing more fishing. The notation states that many owners fearing their ponds will bet "fished out", are inclined to be over conservative about fishing and allowing others to fish.

As a consequence, the pond tends to become overstocked in proportion to the available food supply, according to G. B. Herndon, head of the Fisheries Section. The result of this situation is a pond crowded with under-sized, half-starved fish.

Experience and tests have proven that when the fish poulation is kept down to meet the available food supply in the pond, the remaining fish will grow to large size and the actual production of the pond in pounds of edible fish will be increased.

Merchants To Open Semi-Pro Season May 3

Practice As Usual This Afternoon To Start at 1:30 O'clock

The Sedalia Merchants ball club will officially open the Semi-Pro season in Sedalia on Sunday May 3, the visiting team to be announced within the next fsw days. Delay in scheduling the Sunday's use of the Liberty Park ball diamound, held up listing of the ball clubs until this week.

Officials of the local club enticipate a strong aggregation with the material which has been reporting for practice in both the young and "old heads". Manager Palmer Nichols, in looking over the list of ball players who have hopes of making the squad stated the new blood offers to stimulate the team and with those players with experience the entore team should shape out into one of the strongest Sedalia has ever had.

Play Every-Other Sunday

The Liberty Park Board at a meeting Friday night released to the Merchants and the American Legion every-other-Sunday for their schedule of games. This will give each team more Sundays at home while the away from home schedule will greatly benefit both clubs cutting down traveling one-third. Last year the teams traveled two Sundays to each home game played.

Practice this afternoon will start at 1:30 o'clock and all players are expected to be present on time Manager Nichols said. The purpose is to get all the benefit of the warmer part of the afternoon so the boys will not become stiff.

Frank Eschbacher, business manager, said his correspondence indicated the teams to be scheduled are somewhat stronger than the previous season due to the number of younger players who are out for their respective teams.

Horton Smith Drops Back In Masters' Open

Nelson Leads With A 207; Hogan Goes Up With A 210 Score

Augusta, Ga., April 11—(AP)—That tireless machine of golf—William Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa.,—all but broke up the Augusta masters' tournament today and set its galleries buzzing like a barn-full of aggravated bees.

Tall Bryon Nelson still was leading at the three-quarter mark with 207 to Hogan's 210—but bettors who held wagers on the Toledo stylist were far more worried about his chances than they were yesterday when he led Sam Byrd, the one-time baseballer, by only o single stroke.

While Nelson shot a methodical 35-37—72 today and Byrd took 36-39—75, the Hershey prairie fire sliced five strokes off Nelson's advantage with a flat 34 on the front nine and a paralyzing 33 on the home stretch for 67—best round of the day.

Paul Runyan, who shared the first round lead with Horton Smith at 67 was fourth at 212 after shooting 72 today. Smith, badly bothered by the wind had to be satisfied with 74 and a third round total of 214. Jimmy Demaret and Dutch Harrison were tied for fifth a stroke behind Smith.

Bob Jones, who annually comes out of retirement for the master's tournament, fired a creditable 75 but stod well back of the leaders with 226.

Apache Favored For The Kentucky Derby

NEW YORK, April 11—(AP)—Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons moved up front and center in the Kentucky Derby picture again today.

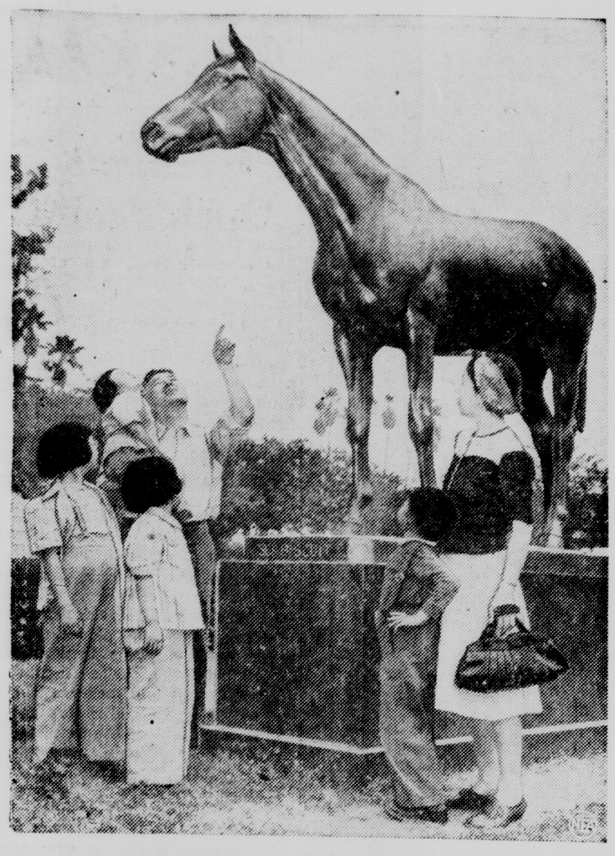
The smiling little sage of Sheepshead Bay, barred from the big bluegrass jackpot a year ago by hard luck, unveiled his 1942 pride and joy today, a big running beauty named Apache—and it, turned out to be quite an unveiling.

A Thick Muddy Track

On a track thick in gooey going at Jamaica, the handsome son of Alcazar made a show of a field of ten horses—six of them derby eligibles—to win the renewal of the experimental handicap with a crowd of 26,845 rooting him home.

Apache, carrying top weight of 116 pounds, was piloted around the outside by Jimmy Stout as the field went into the far turn, and then galloped off to hit the wire a length and a half to the good in 1:12 3/5. It was the fastest time of Jamaica's three-day old meeting for the six-furlong sprint.

New Admirers of Seabiscuit



Japanese at Santa Anita Race Track evacuee assembly center admire life-size statue of Seabiscuit, turf's greatest money-winner.

'Induced Savings' Are Advocated

WASHINGTON, April 11—(AP)—A program of "induced savings" to help ward off inflation and finance the war was advocated today by Chairman George (D-Ga) of the senate finance committee.

At the same time George and other senators urged overall control of prices and wages, as part of the general anti-inflation campaign that President Roosevelt said yesterday was being mapped.

"If we were brutally realistic we would know that some system of compulsory savings is not far off," George said in an interview. "Before we get to that I favor trying a voluntary system of induced savings, as part of the pending new tax bill."

He explained that by "induced savings" he had in mind a system whereby a taxpayer would be allowed certain deductions from next taxable income for income invested in government bonds, or other war securities.

Tucker Estate To Three Grandsons

The will of the late Mrs. Lydia A. Tucker was filed in Probate Court on Friday evening. Mrs. Tucker left her entire estate ta her three grandsons David H. Smith, of Kansas City, Andrew J. Smith of Cuero, Texas, and H. Tucker Smith of Sedalia.

Judge J. E. Smith appointed J. S. Brenneman as administrator, after David H. Smith had waived the right to serve as executor as requested by the will.

Mrs. George Sneed was appointed guardian over H. Tucker Smith, a minor.

Program Was Postponed

The program which was to have been given Friday night at the Taylor M. E. Chapel by the girls of the State Industrial school at Tipton, was postponed because the entertainers were unable to obtain transportation. An announcement will be made later as to when they will appear.

Special exercise are given to aviation cadets if the Army Air Corps, best trained body of men in the world, to develop muscles needed in wartime flying.

St. Martha's Guild Meets Tuesday

St. Martha's Guild of Calvary Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Alice White at the Liberty Cafeteria.

Keep up the homes we're fighting for.

British Columbia, Canada, produces more than a million pounds of honey annually.

An emergency parachute jump from an airplane entitles a person to membership in the famous Caterpillar Club.

To determine their accuracy flyers daub their bullets in paint so that they can check their scores by the color of the holes in targets.

Favorite sports of aviation cadets are soccer, volleyball, speedball, touch football, badminton and pushball. Boxing and other sports that might be injurious to the eyes are ruled out.

MEET MYRA---



If she knew what a romantic tempest was brewing, she'd keep her handsome soldier brother and her spry kid sister away, from such a

FRANTIC WEEKEND

Beginning April 15th In Democrat

Who Said We Wooden Have Bikes?



Two Los Angeles youngsters demonstrate a bicycle built of wood to meet the shortage of bikes. Three metal bolts hold the vehicle together and it runs on tires of reclaimed rubber.

Vital Part By Camels In War

WASHINGTON, April 11.—(AP)—An army flier of the air force ferry command reported today that thousands of "half-naked African natives" and heavily-laden camels are playing a vital part in keeping American long-range bombers moving to distant fighting fronts.

Major Geoffrey Bonnell said the natives and camels had made it possible to convert a string of small British air fields into a route across jungle and desert which the big bombers could use in shuttling to the Middle East and southwest Pacific.

"Four months with the ferry command in Africa and the Middle East shows you much of this war has to be won on the ground before it can be won in the air," Bonnell said in the army air forces news letter.

The ground is being won," he continued. "Airdromes are building up, supplies are coming in, and communications are much improved since we set up the first ferry command base in the Middle East last winter. x x x

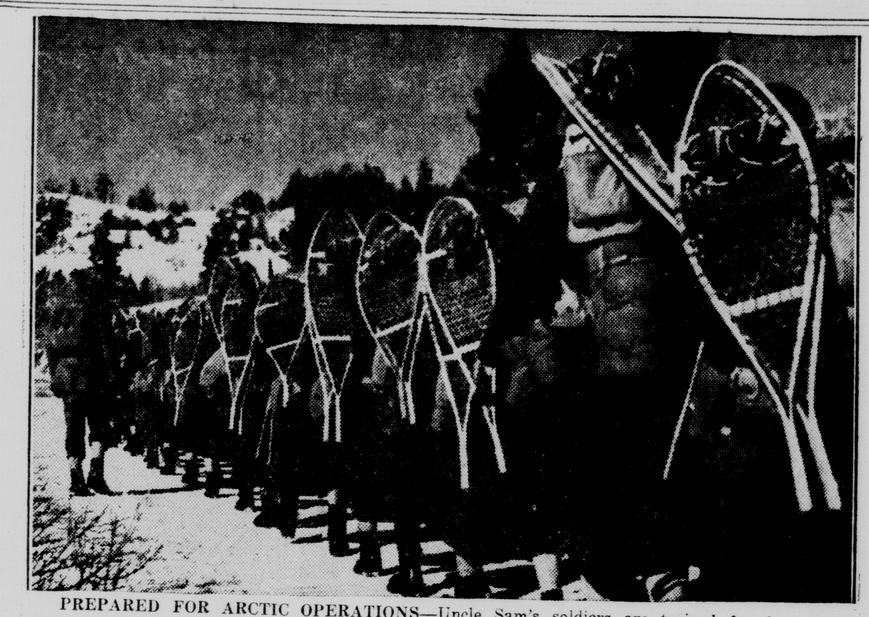
"There were service stations across Africa when we started, but they were British stations used only for ferrying single engine ships. The British shuttled the fighters on short shops in squadrons. The bulk of their bombers had to be based on the isles to carry the war to Germany, so the British weren't ferrying big planes, and had no need for large airdromes.

Chasnoff Store Sold To Joe Kain

The bankrupt stock of the Chasnoff Drugless Drug store sold at auction Friday afternoon under authorization of Donald S. Lamm, referee in bankruptcy, was bought by Joe Kain for $2,125. The sale was conducted by Sam P. Harlan, trustee.

Mr. Lamm approved the sale Friday evening after a report was made to his office by Mr. Harlan.

No statement was made regarding the disposition of the store by Mr. Kain, but arrangements may be made to continue the business.



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Smash At Nazi Air Strength

LONDON, April 11.—(AP)—Still intent on achieving victory in 1942 despite reports that Germany is accumulating huge forces for new assaults, the Russians smashed hard today at the Nazi air strength being mustered for Adolf Hitler's post-thaw drive.

Dispatches from Kuibyshev said Soviet airmen and ground defenses had destroyed 300 German air force units in the last three days, 123 of them on the ground.

Many of the planes destroyed were transferred only recently to the east from Yugoslavia, France and North Africa, captured pilots said.

On the land, battle reports from both sides indicates stiff engagements from Finland to the Black sea, but no conclusive advance was claimed by either.

On the Lapland front in the Arctic, Nazi mounted troops and Finns were reported to have taken a well-fortified strong point, destroying 40 Russian posts.

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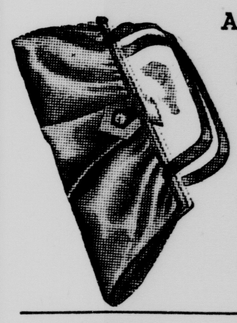


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Society and Clubs

Miss Katholeen Antoinette Denzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Denzel and Mr. Edward Joseph Donnelly, son of Mrs. Edward J. Donnelly, of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia, were married at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the Church of St. Therese in Kansas City, where the Rev. Father Maurice E. Coates read the service. The altar was banked with ferns, white snapdragons and lilacs and burning tapers. Mrs. Peter Czech played a program of music on the organ as the guests assembled. She accompanied Mrs. Edgar Eckles of Marshall, who sang "Ave Marie" and "Panis Angelicus."

The bride's gown was of ivory wedding ring satin, fashioned princess line, sweetheart neck with seed pearl bow trim, and long sleeves that tapered to a point over the hand. Tiny buttons trimmed the back. The gored skirt extended into an aisle-wide train. A finger-tip length veil of bridal illusion fell from a shirred tulle tiara. Her arm bouquet was of white lilacs. For the "something old" the bride carried the handkerchief her mother carried on her wedding day.

Mrs. Daniel T. Hurley was the matron of honor and Miss Marie Donnelly of Evanston, Ill., was the bridesmaid. Their gowns were of a melody yellow marquisette in bouffant skirt style and long bishop sleeves. Their hats were in a matching shade of net and they carried lavender lilacs.

Mr. Jack E. McConaughey was the best man and Mr. Robert A. Denzel was the groomsman. The ushers were Mr. Gard W. Heidrick and Mr. Lewis Peter Andrews.

A wedding breakfast for the immediate families was held at the Park Lane hotel following the ceremony. There was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, 5645 Wayne avenue, in the afternoon. Mrs. Denzel wore an aqua wool ensemble with brown accessories, her corsage was of orchids. Mrs. Donnelly's gown was a lavender printed jersey with black accessories and her corsage was of orchids.

The couple left for a honeymoon in Chicago. The bride's traveling ensemble was a beige wool suit with a brown plaid topcoat and brown accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias.

After April 24, Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly will be at home at 205 Brush Creek blvd., Kansas City.

The out-of-town guests were:

Miss Helen Donnelly of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. James L. Donnelly and Miss Peggy Donnelly of Evanston, Ill.; Miss Anna Donnelly and Miss Margaret Donnelly of St. Louis; Mrs. Evan Naylor and Miss Margaret Agnes Naylor of Pittsburg, Kas.; Miss Mary Ann Eckles, Marshall, Mo., and Mrs. Mary E. Denzel and Dr. and Mrs. Edward S. Moser, Naperville, Ill.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. Mary Kelley announces the engagement of her daughter, Elevlyn Dimple, to Mr. William Kenneth Schilb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Schilb of Otterville. The marriage will take place in May.

Married In Ohio



Mrs. Joseph .O. Long, the former Miss Betty Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roberts, 906 South Barrett avenue, who was married to Staff Sergeant Long (left) at Dayton, O., on Saturday afternoon, April 4. Sergeant Long is stationed at Patterson Field, Fairfield, O.

WEDDING DATE SET

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Lola Gott to Mr. Raymond Gerard of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia, was announced Easter Sunday morning at a breakfast given by Mrs. Eugene Herrick at her home, 608 West Sixth street.

Guests were seated at a long table which had a center bouquet of roses. The announcement was made through quaint duck candles used as placecards bearing the message that the wedding date would be April 26.

The guests were Misses Juanita Young, Teddy Gerard, Louise Renner, Orene and Mary Belle Harbit, Sylvia Dyer and Ellen Bell, and Mrs. E. P. Gerard and Mrs. Donald Trueman.

VISIT FORMER SEDALIANS

Mrs. N. T. Dunlap and daughter, Kay, left Saturday to go to Evansville, Ind., where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loving, former Sedalians. They were accompanied by Mr. Dunlap to St. Louis, and then took a plane from there for Evansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Loving who left here for Springfield, Mo., moved to Evansville the first of the year.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. August Rehmer of Florence, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruby, to Mr. Arthur McCray of Kansas City, formerly of Versailles.

WED ON APRIL 4

Miss Peggy Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Henderson of Sedalia rural route 4, and Mr. Junior Swope, son of Mrs. Bertha Swope, rural route 4, were married Saturday night, April 4, at 7 o'clock at the home of the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Henderson. Mr. Loy Richards was best man.

The bride was attired in a powder blue suit and hat with other accessories in navy. Her corsage was of sweet peas. Her sister wore a biege dress with British tan accessories and a corsages of carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Swope are now residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wise. Mr. Swope is engaged in farming.

Bride of Former Sedalian



Mrs. Edward Joseph Donnelly, who before her marriage yesterday was Miss Katholeen Antoinette Denzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Denzel of Kansas City. Mr. Donnelly is the son of Mrs. Edward J. Donnelly of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia.

OPEN SPRING SEASON

The Sedalia Country club's spring social season will be officially opened with a bridge-tea Monday afternoon. Cards will be played from 1:30 until 4 o'clock and the tea will follow.

The social committee, Mrs. S. D. Breitweiser, chairman, will meet soon to complete plans for the annual spring dance to be held Saturday night, April 25. Percy Metcalf's orchestra will play.

PLAN OPEN HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Cunningham, 1507 East Seventh street, will have an open house, starting at 2 o'clock, next Sunday afternoon in observance of their fiftieth wedding anniversary, which falls on April 21. All their friends, both old and new, are invited to call during the afternoon and evening.

To Wed This Month



Miss Lola Gott, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Raymond Gerard, of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia, was announced at an Easter Sunday breakfast given by Mrs. Eugene Herrick. The marriage will take place April 26.

Has Leading Role



Miss Joyce Lynn, a member of the faculty at Horace Mann school, has the ingenue lead in the Kaufman-Hart comedy, "You Can't Take It With You," three-act play which will be presented by the Pettis Players next month.

Engagement Announced



Miss Evelyn Kelley, whose engagement to Mr. William Kenneth Schilb, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schilb of Otterville, has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Mary Kelley.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cunningham, and Mr. and Mrs. John Markison of Kansas City, and the Rev. and Mrs. George C. Monroe of Harrisonville, were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Monroe on Thursday evening.

The occasion was a pre-observance of Dr. Monroe's birthday anniversary on the following day, April 10.

The centerpiece, a white birthday cake decorated with green candles, flanked by crystal candelabra with green tapers, and encircled with small baskets of pink and white sweet peas formed the table setting.

Mrs. Mary A. Monroe, mother of Dr. Monroe who recently passed her eighty-ninth milestone, was also a guest. She is spending the spring and summer with her son in Harrisonville, after being at the Monroe home here during the winter.

The four-course turkey dinner was prepared and served by Miss Mollie Ross of the family home.

SORORITY PARTY

Members and guests of Beta Tau chapter of Beta Sigma Phi enjoyed a "slack party" at the country home of Mrs. Eugene Helman Thursday night.

Miss Lucille Brunkhorst, president of the sorority, presided over a short business session, and the evening was directed by Mrs. Helman.

Guests were Miss Muriel Couhig, Miss Mary Sue Campbell, Miss Millie Coffman, Miss Mary Schrankler, Miss Lorraine Morgan, Miss Mary Ritchie and Mrs. George Lockett.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Betty Bohon was the guest of honor at a birthday party Thursday night at the home of Mrs. J. H. Boetjer, 813 East Sixth street.

The evening was spent in playing Liverpool rummy, with favors being claimed by Mrs. Everette Johnson and Mrs. James Bohon.

Mrs. Boetjer was assisted by Mrs. Blanche Collins and Mrs. Homer Hall in serving refreshments to Mrs. Betty Bohon, Mrs. James Bohon, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. A. L. Wilson, Mrs. Pearl Newcome, Miss Goldie Arenson and Miss Ruby Wayman.

MARRIED APRIL 8

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Messenger, 201 Harding, announce the marriage of their daughter, Lorene Shipman, to Sergeant James M. Parsley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Parsley, 511 South Massachusetts avenue.

The ceremony was performed April 8 at Orlando, Fla., where the groom is stationed with the army air corps.

They are at home at 524 South Delaney, Orlando.

COMING FROM WYOMING

Mrs. Ralph Baird and young daughter, Sarah Virginia, of Cheyenne, Wyo., will arrive Friday to be the guests of Mrs. Baird's father, Mr. R. C. Lippard and Mrs. Lippard, 1842 South Barrett avenue. Mrs. Baird is the former Virginia Lippard, of this city. Her husband, Captain Baird, formerly of Joplin, is now stationed at Cheyenne.

MRS. PRESSLER HONORED

Mrs. John Ryan entertained at her home at a 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday, complimentary to Mrs. Marvin Pressler, who is leaving soon for St. Louis to reside.

The dining table was covered with an embroidered cloth. The center piece was a bouquet of spring flowers, with white candles on either side.

A large crystal bowl was the hostess' farewell gift to the honoree.

Mrs. Ryan's guests were Mrs. Pressler, Mrs. L. C. Miller, Mrs. Henry Neimann, Mrs. Edgar Arnold, Mrs. Seigel Woodward, Mrs. James Carpenter, Mrs. R. M. Bales, Mrs. A. F. Scott, Mrs. Reece Dillard and Mrs. R. H. Parks.

Mr. Pressler, who is employed with the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, has been transferred to the St. Louis office. He will report there Monday, and Mrs. Pressler and their daughter, Paula, Jean, will join him April 15.

WED EASTER SUNDAY

Miss Ruth Lucille Colvin, daughter of Mr. R. W. Colvin, 508 West Third street, and Mr. Murray P. Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood, of Sweet Springs, were married at 4 o'clock last Sunday afternoon, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. George Suter, 1842 South Barrett avenue.

The Rev. R. W. Leazer, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated in the presence of immediate relatives.

Attending the bride was her sister, Miss Frances Colvin, and the bridegroom's attendant was his brother, William Wood.

The bride wore an ensemble, dress of gold print with gold wool coat, and her flowers were gloria lilies. Miss Frances Colvin wore navy blue and her corsage was of red rosebuds.

A reception for the wedding party and the few guests followed the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Wood left for a short wedding trip.

Attend State Music Clubs Convention

Mrs. E. F. Yancey, life president of the Helen G. Steele Music club and a charter member of the Missouri Federation of Music clubs, was chosen again as one of the directors of the federation at the annual convention held last week at Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. Henry Salveter, second vice president of Sedalia's music club, was re-elected auditor to serve for a second term of two years. State officers are elected biennially. Mrs. Yancey has served as a director for many years.

Mrs. Yancey and Mrs. Salveter represented the Helen G. Steele Music club at the convention, leaving after the close of the final meeting of the club year Wednesday afternoon. They returned Friday evening.

The junior music festival was held Saturday. The Singing Scouts, members of troops two and ten of the Sedalia Girl Scouts entered the senior high school a capella competitions, drawing for places Saturday morning. The Singing Scouts won the first place silver loving cup in the competitions last spring.

They were accompanied to Excelsior Springs by their director Mrs. A. R. Beach, Mrs. John E. Lamy, leader of troop two, and Mrs. A. A. Studebaker, leader of troop ten. There are now a total of 30 girls in the Singing Scouts, an increase of ten over last year, their first organized season.

Members who signed to make the trip to the convention are:

First sopranos: Marian Wade, Betty Rowe, Betty Leake, Betty Urban, Genevieve Sullivan, Margaret Jo Kahrs, Barbara Roberts, Barbara Smith, Marian Miller and Dorothy Dean.

Second sopranos: Virginia Lindstrum, Winifred Griswold, Betty Gerster, Lyda Gerster, Jo Anne Connelly, June Decker, Mary Jane Scotten, Louise Van Dyne, Margaret Sneed and Jacqueline Hatfield.

Altos: Evelyn Beach, Helen Russell, Aleen Snyder, Betty Ann Harrison, Betty Musso, Dorothy Sue Roe and Frankie June Rodgers.

Betty Barnett, regular accompanist with the Singing Scouts entered individual competition. A number of the students of music teachers in Sedalia entered the junior contests.

Mrs. Fred Niemoeller of St. Louis, was elected president of the federation at the election Friday, succeeding Miss Clara Drew Miller of Cape Girardeau. Convention headquarters were at the Elms hotel.

Church Events

The Methodist young people of Pettis county will hold their monthly meeting at 7:30 o'clock Monday night at the Fifth Street Methodist church. Rev. Havinghurst, district superintendent, will speak at the meeting.

The Federated Service Guild of the Congregational - Presbyterian church will meet at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the utility room of the church. Miss Nettie Lamm will be chairman of a program on the Burma Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Merry and their three-year-old daughter, Shelia, 1320 West Eleventh street, are leaving Monday for Long Beach, Calif., where they will make their home.

Married In the East



Mrs. John H. Peeler, the former Miss Eunice Owen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Owen of Houstonia, whose marriage took place April 4 in Bel Air, Md. Her husband is in army service near Washington, D. C., where Mrs. Peeler is employed.

HONOR BRIDE-TO-BE

Miss Lylian Hurley and her sister, Mrs. Elmer Adams, will be hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Monday night at their home, 725 West Fourth street complimenting Miss Mary Ross Hoffman, whose marriage to Mr. A. J. Harlan will take place May 2.

Other pre-nuptial affairs planned for this week included an informal party Wednesday evening at which Mrs. A. M. Harlan, 902 West Broadway will be hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ollie Levens and Mrs. Sam Harlan.

WED IN MARYLAND

Miss Eunice Owen of Washington, D. C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Owen of Houstonia, and John H. Peeler, whose home was near Glasgow, Mo., but who is now in army service at Aberdeen, Md., were married Saturday evening, April 4, at the Methodist parsonage in Bel Air, Md., by the Reverend Ogg.

Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tucker, formerly of Sedalia, and Miss Adelene Peeler, all of near Washington. Mrs. Tucker is a cousin of the bride and Miss Peeler a sister of the groom.

The couple spent a short honeymoon in Baltimore.

Mr. Peeler returned to army service, and Mrs. Peeler will be temporarily at home at 42-C Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Md. She is employed in Washington D. C.

To Be Married



Miss Ruby Rehmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Rehmer of Florence, whose engagement to Mr. Arthur McCray of Kansas City, has been announced.

Ellis-Robinson Wedding Party



Married on Easter Sunday morning in the Young People's chapel at the First Christian church, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Ellis (right) are shown with their attendants, Mr. Jack Kreissler and Miss Maxine Mertel, and the officiating pastor, the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer. Mrs. Ellis is the former Miss Marva Lee Robinson, daughter of Mrs. V. N. Robinson, 1221 South Kentucky avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis reside in Kansas City.



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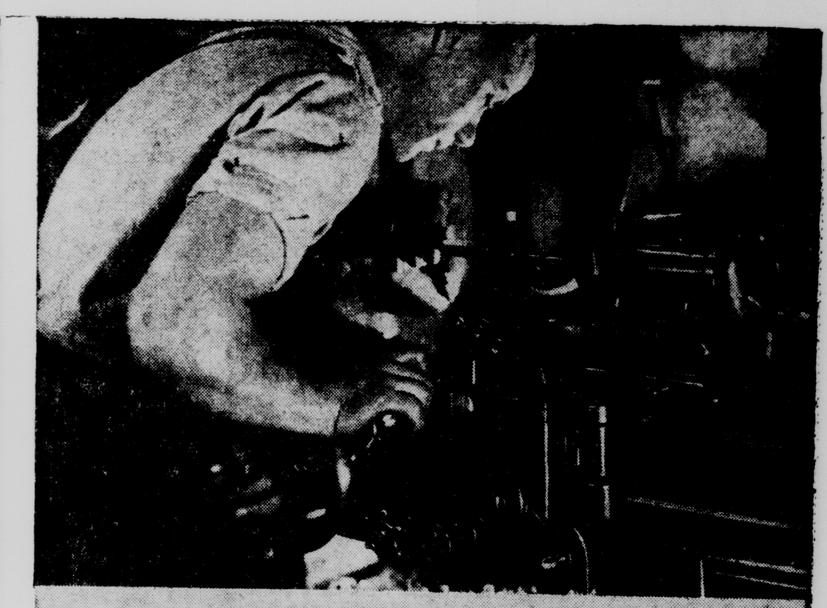
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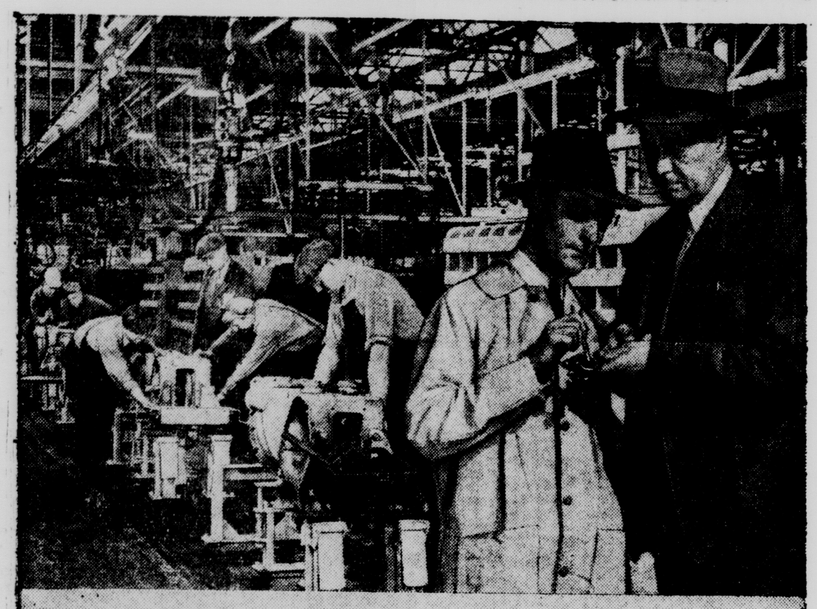
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Valiant Fight Is Waged In Defense Of Corregidor

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was planted on the southernmost tip of Bataan, the defense of which had caused one Japanese commander to commit suicide in frustration. The enemy also reported the attempted surrender of the Bataan forces, but his story lacked details as to numbers and time.

Bataan's defense had not been in vain. Manila Bay—finest harbor in the western Pacific—still was denied to the Japanese fleet by Corregidor. One battleship and six other large vessels had been sunk and more than 200 planes, many of them large bombers, had been shot from the air. Unspecified thousands of Japanese soldiers had been killed and huge amounts of Japanese material had been destroyed or used up.

Reject Dominion Status

Indian politicians rejected the British offer of dominion status after the war for the 390,000,000 Hindus and Moslems and peoples of 200 tongues.

If any further proof was needed of the British contention that politically-unstable India was not yet ready for independence, it was found in the continuous wrangles of three weeks.

The all-India congress party, which numbers 2,000,000 and represents 240,000,000 Hindus, found these faults with the British Raj's offer; (1) The British retained control of the defense of India for which only a tiny number of Hindus have taken up arms; (2) The Moslem states which supply the bulk of India's soldiers were given the right to non-aggression; (3) The Indian states with which Britain long has had solemn treaties would form "enclaves where foreign authority still prevails"; and (4) The present government was "lacking in competence" to defend India.

The Moslem league rejected the plan because it did not go far enough.

The Indians, however, were said by the British to be at least "united in their hatred of Fascist dictatorship" and enlisting at the rate of 50,000 a month. There seemed no question of revolt or treachery such as has plagued the defense of Burma.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, perhaps the most powerful Hindu leader, was reported preparing a personal campaign to arouse India to its own defense. But the task of Gen . Sir Archibald P. Wavell, commander-in-chief for India and Burma, was immense. India is 2,000 miles long and 2,000 miles wide and its army of 1,000,000—mostly Moslems—is largely deployed in Persia, Palestine and Iraq against a Hitler threat to join hands with the oncoming Japanese.

Australia apparently had been by-passed, but United States and Australian bombers roared again to the attack on the Japanese base on Dutch Timor. Hangars, other buildings and runways were blasted at Koepang, 350 miles off Darwin.

Army Minister Francis M. Forde called upon the Australians for an all-out war effort. The release of 200,000 Japanese veterans from Bataan meant that a full-fledged invasion might be turned against the sparsely settled continent.

Buddy' Bothwell In Naval Reserves

C. R. Bothwell Jr., son of Sheriff and Mrs. C. R. Bothwell, 726 West Seventh street, who signed with the naval reserves last September, will leave Monday night for South Bend., Ind., where he will receive a month's training at Notre Dame university.



C. R. Bothwell Jr.

The first 30-day period will be followed by three additional weeks of training at Prairie State near New York or at Northwestern University, Chicago and Evanston, Ill. After the four weeks will be an ensign in the navy.

Bothwell, who notified several weeks ago that he would be called into service, is a graduate of the School of Business and Public Administration at the University of Missouri, with a major in mathematics.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Dismissals Saturday were Leo Weise, 419 East Thirteenth street, Mrs. John Cross, 1318 South Lamine avenue; Mrs. H. W. Bresee, Warsaw. Leta Fern Lutjen, Higginsville, will be dismissed today.

Herman Bloess President Of School Board

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has been the custom for the past few years. They will be Don Davenport and Forrest Drake. Ralph Guenther will continue classes for instrumental music, which will be helpful for band members, Burney Morris will have the vocal classes and James Stubbs the dramatics.

At Lincoln school Lee A. Boggess will be in charge.

Supervisior At All Schools

The board approved the employment of a supervisor at the playground of all grade schools for the summer. They are, Louis Alley, Jefferson; Edwin Martin, Washington; Stein Finell, Whittier; J. Ernest Morrow, Horace Mann; E. R. Shores, Broadway; Raymond Peterson, Mark Twain. The program includes program for girls as well as boys.

Cubs Even Spring Series With The White Sox, 3 to 0

CHICAGO, April 11—(AP)—Getting their edge runs on a passed ball and walk with the bases loaded in the seventh inning, the Cubs evened the spring city series with the White Sox in the first game played locally today. The score was 3 to 1 and deadlocked the series, started in California last month, at five wins apiece. The game was played at Wrigley field. The final and deciding game will be played at Comiskey Park tomorrow.

Out-Hitting Philly A's Pittsburg Wins 3 to 0

WICHITA, Kas., April 11—(AP)—Out-hitting the Philadelphia Athletics, 11 to 7, the Pittsburgh Pirates scored a 3-0 shutout in their next to last exhibition game today. The victory gave them a 6-3 edge over the A's.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. William Couhig and daughter, Miss Muriel Couhig, are spending today in Atchison, Kas., visiting their daughter and sister, Sister Mary Hope, who is a novice in the novitiate at the Mt. Saint Scholastica convent.

Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Heidbreder, 311 East Broadway have as their guest, Mrs. Heidbreder's uncle, George Kiess, of St. Paul, Minn.

Mrs. J. D. Haldeman, of Woodcrest, is spending ten days with her sisters, and other relatives and friends in Springfield, and will return Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lennon, of Anderson, Ind., formerly of Sedalia, were guests a few days last week of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler, 401 Dal-Whi-Mo Court.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Thompson, of Independence, have returned home after a visit with Mr. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Marvin Hammond, 918 East Fifth street.

Paul Fullop, of Christopher, Ill., H. "Gabby" Stevens, Palmyra, and Harry Smith, of Baltimore, Md., were guests for lunch Saturday of W. Ray Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Hunt. The young men are members of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity, at the Missouri School of Mines, Rolla. Mr. Hunt was pledged to Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity on March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brubaker, Sixteenth street and Garfield, have as their guests their daughter Miss Helen Brubaker of the Social Security Department at Jefferson City, and their daughter Mrs. R. G. Wiley and husband of Columbia. Mrs. Wiley last January underwent a major operation from which she has fully recovered and resumed her duties at the State Cancer hospital in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrett, Davenport, Iowa, who spent Easter visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fredickson and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garrett in Sedalia, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Harris, of Miami Beach, Fla., are guests of Mr. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harris, of East Sixth street.

A. J. Moerschel and daughter, Miss Mary, of St. Louis, are spending the weekend with relatives and friends in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hufft, of St. Louis, are week end guests of Miss Rosemary Burrowes, and accompanied by Miss Burrowes will go to St. Joseph today to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burrowes and family.

New Cabinet Is Formed In Bulgaria

BERN Switzerland, April 11.—(AP)—The Bulgarian government resigned today following refusal of a majority to approve Hitler's program for the Balkan nation—believed by diplomatic quarters here to call for active participation in the war against Russia or Turkey or both.

Premier Bogdan Philov immediately formed a new cabinet in Sofia with only two of his former ministers represented. This was taken to indicate that the other seven had opposed German proposals handed to King Boris in Berlin two weeks ago.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

'Gay Nineties' Presented Thursday Night At S. C.



The Smith-Cotton auditorium was filled to capacity Thursday evening, when the eagerly await-"Gay-Nineties Revue" was presented by the Smith-Cotton high school vocal department, under the direction of Burney D. Morriss.

Attired in the gay and amusing fashions of the late nineties, the boys in derby hats, cutaway coats, 'stove pipe' trousers, the girls in floor length dresses, buttoned high top shoes, hilarious hats, they doubtless brought to older members of the audience, memories of days when they were real-life characters in the episodes being reenacted in the evening's Revue.

Throughout the program various hits of the day were sung by the chorus, including 'In The Good Old Summer Time," "Fare You Well, Daisy Bell," "The Curse of an Aching Heart" and "The Fatal Wedding'.

The Floradora sextette a highlight of the program composed of Betty Barnett, Keith Kreissler, Barbara Roberts, Cecil Williams, Betty Jo Tharp, Gordon Capes. Betty Jean Truitt and Cecil Swift, danced while the chorus sang in the background.

The boys' quartette composed of Bob Green, first tenor, Buster Baker, second tenor, Jack Fuqua, baritone, and Gene Collins, bass, sang numbers such as "My Wild Irish Rose", "I'll Take You Back Again Kathleen," and that old Barber Shop favorite, "Sweet Adeline".

Solos were given by several members of the vocal department. Others in the cast were:

Evelyn Beach, Norma Kindred, Martha Jones, Lois Green, Betty Jean Brown, Dorothy Maxwell, Marvalee Barnum, Betty Anten, Jean Whitley, Betty Urban, Helen Patterson, Verna Lee Pratt, Mary Jane Allison, Virginia Dittmer, Louise Van Dyne, Davijean Hatfield, Winifred Griswold.

Bob Green, Buster Baker, Eugene Collins, Bill Middleton, Earl Berry, Clyde Patton, Bill Whitington, J. W. Fullerton, Jack Fuqua, Ray, Nelson, Kenneth Clark, Eugene Hargrove, Bob Rayl, Fred Robertson, Gordon Keithly, Virgil Wills, Leo Peabody.

Mary Rissler and Bob Overstreet were piano accompanists for the program.

In keeping with the atmosphere of the Nineties, the ushers and accompanists were in costume .

Demonstrate Handling Of Fire Bombs

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of water on the fire, Assistant Fire Chief William Middleton used an ordinary water extinguisher on the bomb, then turned the stream of a "foam" extinguisher on the blaze, quickly killing it.

The foam method of extinguisher, a fine spray of water and sand were demonstrated as the most effective ways of putting out the fire bombs.

Hardin E. Gouge, in charge of the civil protection division of the Pettis County Council of Defense, announced that the training of civilian defense volunteers will officially begin in Sedalia Monday, April 20.

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ADVENT OF SPRING A PAGEANT OF WILD FLOWERS



The robins, wrens and bluebirds are here once more and early spring flowers are making their appearance along the highways, increasing interest and added pleasure to the users of the open road. Many trees are blooming but their blossoms are so inconspicuous as not to occasion much notice or comment. In the very near future, however, trees with very showy flowers will be very much in evidence, such as the redbud, the service berry, and the dogwoods.

The Missouri highways are particularly attractive at this time of the year where these plants have been allowed to grow along the roadsides and in the adjacent fields and woods. Sometimes a wild crabapple will be noticed in a group of redbud making a very pleasing contrast of color. Soon the wild plums and hawthornes will add their beauty and fragrance to the great spring pageant.

Many out of state people have inquired of the Missouri Highway Department as to the blooming dates of native flowering trees and shrubs in order that they might plan a visit at that time. Many Missourians are just realizing what a wealth of beauty we have in our wild flowers, shrubs and trees throughout the growing season.

A few years back many beautiful sections of the state were inaccessible to the average motorist because of poor transportation facilities but now we can take pride in having a state highway system that adequately cares for our needs and nearly every section can be reached by an all-weather state maintained road.

Underwriters Have Meeting

Dr. Stauffacher Gives A Talk On Social Diseases

In a meeting Saturday in the Bothwell Hotel Palm Room, Dr. Gordon Stauffacher gave the Life Underwriters association a very informative talk upon "The Effect, That Social Diseases Had Upon Life Insurance". He stressed how people evaded the issues in attacking this subject, and the tremendous amount of education still necessary by the public in fighting this dread cause of various later adult affilcations, such as heart disease, paralysis, insanity and many others. He recommended blood tests frequently, and told of the activities of the Selective Service Board in this direction before induction into the Service, and also cited the tremendous progress that had been made checking tuberculosis through cooperation of all civic minded and public minded citizens in correcting this former vicious disease.

Chairman James Denny provided a moving picture demonstration for the enlightment of the Underwriter's, entitled "Sawing Sawdust,' which brought out the points of his talk relative to "Motivation", which was very well received.

President E. W. Walker, then called upon the Mayor-elect, A. H. Wilks, a charter member of the Sedalia Life Underwriters Association who thanked the group for good wishes in behalf of his coming administration of the city's business.

President Walker then called on Hugo Sparn who told of the Legislative Committee's efforts in behalf of Underwriters in looking after interests in both the legislature and other authoritive bodies.

Mr. Walker extolled the work that C. M. Pressler had performed in Association activities, and the membership's best wishes went with Mr. Pressler, who leaves for St. Louis this week.

President Walker then called on L. J. Banner for a report upon the tri-city meeting recently held in Jefferson City with the Columbia and Jefferson City Associations. He brought out the various activities now carried on by the Life Underwriters. He strongly stressed its sales of defense bonds and stamps.

The Sedalia committee reported 14 lectures given this past year to high schools in this vicinity.

Secretary Ragar introduced a visitor and new member of the Association, H. E. Jaquwish of the National Life and Accident.

President Walker then appointed a nominating committee to report at the May meeting, W. E. Scotten, H. G. Cunningham, J. T. Denny, W. P. Hurley and Jack Crawford.

Two Ships Are Sunk By U. S. Sub

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ily mistaken through a periscope view.

The original report also told of one barge transport and one unidentified ship damaged by one torpedo hit each. The recaptiulation showed that in that phase of the action near Bali one destroyer and one large transport definitely were sunk and an unidentified vessel was damaged.

Named Administrator

Letter of administration were issued Friday evening by Judge J. E. Smith of the probate court to J. L. Farris in the will of Mrs. Ellen Farris who passed away March 26, 1942. Mr. Farris furnished a $100 bond as administrator.

Reports Coach Stolen

Donald McFarland, 422 West Fifth street, reported to the police about 10:30 o'clock Saturday night the theft of his 1939 Ford coach. The car was taken from in front of his home sometime between 9 o'clock and 10:30 o'clock.

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Indian Leader Hears U. S. Plea

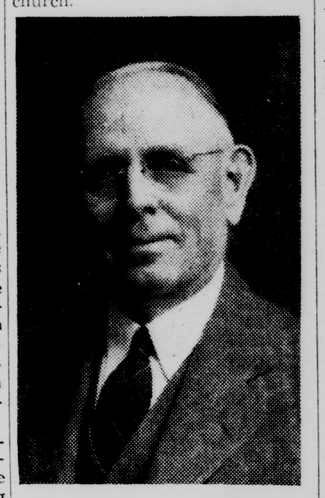


Maulana Abul Kalan Azad, above, president of the All-India Congress Party, has been asked by Louis Johnson, President Roosevelt's emissary to India, to help settle Indian-British independence controversy.

• Obituaries

Funeral Of Dr. W. F. Logan

Funeral service for Dr. William F. Logan; former Sedalian, who died Friday morning at St. Luke's hospital, Kansas City, will be held at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Bales Baptist church. The body will then be brought to Sedalia where a short service will be conducted at 5 o'clock that evening at the First Baptist church.



Dr. W. F. Logan

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery, where members of the American Legion, Post No. 16, will conduct graveside services.

Pallbearers who will serve in Kansas City are, George L. Williams, Dr. K. R. Barnum, Ray E. Brown, Dr. George Short, Roy King and R. B. Henness.

Sedalia pallbearers will be Dr. Barnum, Carl Urban, W. O. Stanley, Dr. A. J. Campbell, W. L. Byler and J. I. Whitsel.

Dr. Logan, who was 69, an associate physician at the Thornton & Minor Clinic, Kansas City, was for many years a resident of Sedalia. He was employed at the Sedalia postoffice, as a carrier, then took up the study of medicine, practicing here for a number of years, before going to Kansas City.

He was a graduate of the Kansas City Southwest, and Hahnemann Medical College, of Philadelphia, an interne at the Kansas City general hospital, Kansas City in 1911, and served the Sir William Osler Fellowship in London, England.

Dr. Logan was a veteran of the Spanish American war and of the World War, and a major in the Missouri National Guard. He was commanding officer of Machine Gun Company of the 4th Missouri Infantry in 1916, and served with the 110th ammunition train in France. He was instrumental in the organization of, and commanded the 2nd battalion, first field artillery of Missouri, National Guard, and a post commander of Pettis county Post 16, American Legion. He belonged to the Legion of Honor, France, a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge, and the Masonic lodge of Sedalia, and a deacon in the Bales Baptist church, Kansas City.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Logan of the home; a daughter, Mrs. R. R. Short, Manhattan, Kas.; a sister, Mrs. O. J. Johnston, Provo, Utah; a brother, J. Logan, Roswell, N. M., and two grandsons.

John Wesley Decker

John Wesley Decker, retired farmer and stockman of the Syracuse neighborhood, died at 3:30 o'clock this morning at the family home, two miles west of Syracuse. He had been ill about two years.

His death is the first in his entire family of children and grandchildren.

Born in the state of Ohio, October 15, 1856, Mr. Decker was the son of Jonas and Susan Decker. He moved with his parents to Missouri when he was about two years of age.

He was married to Margaret Ann Finley, March 20, 1883 in Morgan county. To this union were born four children, Mrs Charles McNeil, of Sedalia, James Wesley Decker, of the home, Mrs. Floyd Rowland, of Stover, Earl Decker, of Syracuse, and one step-daughter, Mrs. C. J. Neitzert, also of Syracuse.

Surviving besides his wife and children are ten grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

Mr. Decker was one of a family of eleven children, all except two, D. C. Decker, of Syracuse, and A. M. Decker, of Sedalia, preceding him in death.

He joined the Baptist church in early life and served as deacon and treasurer, and in other official church positions during the active years of his life.

On March 20, last, Mr. and Mrs. Decker celebrated their fifty-ninth wedding anniversary.

Funeral services will be held at the Baptist church in Syracuse at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. Gadd officiating.

Pallbearers will be nephews, Monroe Neale, Ira Decker, Roy Decker, Cecil Decker, Benjamin Decker, Fred Decker, Harry Decker and William Decker.

Burial will be in the Syracuse church cemetery.

Mrs. A. R. Thickett

Mrs. Anna K. Thickett, a former Sedalian, wife of A. R. Thickett, retired general claim agent for the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, passed away at 7:15 o'clock Saturday evening, April 4 at the Nevada hospital. Mrs. Thickett had not been well for several months and about three weeks ago her condition became more serious. She was taken to the hospital a week before her death occurred.

Anna Keller Thickett, aged 69 years, was born in Cedar City. One of nine children, she was the daughter of Jacob and Frances Keller. Following grade school education she attended the convent school at Jefferson City and in October, 1901, was married to A. R. Thickett.

Mr. and Mrs. Thickett resided in St. Louis for some time after their marriage, later moving to Parsons, Kas., and in October, 1919, went to Nevada so that their two daughters might attend Cottey college. Upon arrival in that city, they moved into the home at 314 North Washington street which they completely remodeled and had since continued to be their home.

Mrs. Thickett's interests and devotion were centered in her home. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church.

Besides her husband, she leaves two daughters, Mrs. King Robey of Pasadena, Calif., and Miss Helen Frances Thickett of San Francisco; also four sisters, Mrs. P. J. Ryan and Mrs. Helen L. Berry of San Diego, Calif., and Misses Katherine and Emma Keller of Cape Girardeau; and two brothers, Frank Keller of Cape Girardeau and Michael H. Keller of Tonopah, Nev.

Funeral services were held Friday morning in Nevada, and the body, accompanied by relatives, taken to Pasadena for burial. The funeral party left Friday afternoon.

Funeral Of J. L. Brooks

The funeral of James Lucian Brooks, who died at his home, 414 West Sixteenth street, early Thursday, was held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Gillespie Funeral Home. The Rev. Herman Janssen, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church officiated.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mrs. Percy Metcalfe, accompanied by Mrs. George Sneed on the organ, sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Pallbearers were Robert Muldens, C. A. Smith, T. W. Cloney II, Eldred Menefee, Dr. C. H. Weaver and Dr. W. A. Beckemeyer.

Members of the Sedalia Lodge of Elks, of which Mr. Brooks was a member, conducted graveside services at Memorial Park cemetery.

Funeral Of Mrs. Eliza Lewis

Funeral services for Mrs. Eliza Purchase Lewis, 90 who died early Friday morning at the home of her brother, W. H. Purchase, near Green Ridge, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Prairie View Methodist church north of Green Ridge. The Rev. C. I. Phipps of LaMonte will officiate, asssisted by the Rev. N. M. Dowdy.

Music will be furnished by the Green Ridge Presbyterian church quartette, L. L. and H. H. Ream, J. B. Myers and L. B. Beach, with Mrs. Beach at the piano.

Pallbearers will be Ed. Ferguson, Morris Curtis, John Dowdy, Harrison DeJarnette, Cale Davis and Vest Johnson.

Burial will be in the Green Ridge cemetery.

Will Of G. K. Mackey Filed For Probate

The will of the late George Knight Mackey, who passed away April 2, was filed for probate Friday evening and Charles Van Dyne and T. W. Cloney and T. W. Cloney II were appointed administrators by Judge J. E. Smith.

The will leaves all real and personal property to his widow Mrs. Bessie Daniel Mackey and appointed her Administrix. Mrs. Mackey desired not to serve and requested the appointment of Mr. Van Dyne and Mr. Cloney.

To Attend Medical Meeting

Dr. A. J. Campbell, district councillor of the Missouri Medical Association, will today attend a meeting of district councillors from ten districts in the state to be held at the Hotel Coronodo in St. Louis. Mrs. Campbell and two children, Nancy and A. J. Campbell, Jr., will accompany him and make a short visit.

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Sedalia, Missouri

• Hughesville

MRS. HAROLD CONWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neef, Miss Jean Neef, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Neef motored to Albuquerque, N. M., on Friday, returning Monday evening. They spent the week-end with their son and brother, Ellis, who was sent to Albuquerque for a 30 days course in the Jack Frye School of Aeronautics Ellis until recently was on the western coast but was assigned to the Army Air Corp base at Salt Lake City.

Jeff Downs states that due to the fact that his son Jerry, who is stationed with the U. S. Army in San Francisco, has been on duty in foreign ports for the past six weeks, letters have not been received from him.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ferguson have received a letter from their son, Elmer, saying that he was graduated last week as a dental technician at Portsmouth, Va., and was at the Navy hospital in Washington, D. C., where he will serve his internship as a dental technician for six months.

Miss Lena Bruce, principal in the Troost grade school at Kansas City, spent the Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. Kemp Hieronymus and family and another sister, Mrs. Ross Bothwell and family of Sedalia.

Students who spent Easter here were. From Central College at Fayette—Richard Meyers, Clayton Callis and Jack Mowler; CMSTC at Warrensburg — Lillian Rages, Bertha Walker; Missouri University at Columbia—Jimmy McCurdy. Bill Sprecher failed to arrive and word was received that he was in the hospital.

Clark Ferguson, who is instructor and coach at Parksville High school was given special mention in a sports column of the Kansas City Star for his splendid work as coach and fine record his boys have made in the past year in basketball. Mr. Ferguson has accepted a position as superintendent of the schools at Dearborn, Mo., for the coming year. His daughter, Deanne, has entered kindergarten at Parksville.

The name Sue has been given the infant daughter born March 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Art Lindholm of Webster Groves. Two other children, Anne and Bob, also are gandchildren of Mrs. C. W. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Franklin Early of Lexington were guests over the week-end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Durley. Jimmy Durley, a student at Central Collefe at Fayette, was home for the holidays.

Misses Marjorie McClure of Kansas City was with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McClure over the week-end.

Harold Conway was reelected and Harry Meyers was elected member of the Hughesville school board Tuesday. The levy was unanimously carried.

Mrs. Elmore McCurdy of Columbia, Mrs. Lawson McCurdy, Mrs. Leland Bealert, Mrs. Lee May and Robert McCurdy drove to Kansas City Saturday and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Duly.

Mrs. John McCurdy and Mrs. Lawson McCurdy entertained with bridge on Friday the following friends: Mesdames Das McClure, Leland Bealert, Charles Bliss, Garnet Gorrell, Homer Cunningham, Lon Slaton, Berry Elliott, Gordon Callis, Joe Menefee, George McCurdy of Dexter, Mo., Elmore McCurdy of Columbia, Frank Keeny, May Sanders and Otto Herman all of Sedalia. Mrs. Lawson McCurdy and daughter Mary Frances will leave the first of May to join Mr. McCurdy at Dayton. Ohio, where he has a government defense position.

Harry Thomas was home for the Easter holidays from Fort Bragg, N. C. John McCurdy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson McCurdy who is also stationed at Fort Bragg has received a promotion and is now Staff Sergeant.

Mrs. Ray Tagmaier has two brothers in the army, Lieutenant Morris McCleary, stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., and Private Abel McCleary, stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Richardson had for dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Joe Casteel and Reverend Alonzo Patison of Raytown and Mr. and Mrs. Frances Richardson and children, Martha Lou and Mary Sue, of Bernard. Frances Richardson has been reappointed as superintendent of schools at Bernard at an additional increase in salary.

Lodge Notices

Sedalia Chapter No. 57 O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday April 14 at 8:00 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. Official visit of the D. D. G. M. and social session.

Hazel Palmer W. M.
May Highleyman Secy.

Sedalia lodge No. 236. A. F. & A. M. will meet in special communication, Monday April 12th at 7:30 p. m. for examination in the Fellowcraft degree and work in the Master Mason degree. All Master Masons invited.

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East Bound—Main Line
No. 10—Leave ... 2:05 a. m.
No. 20—Leave ... 3:20 a. m.
No. 12—Leave ... 9:50 a. m.
No. 6—Eagle Leave ... 2:25 p. m
No. 14—Leave ... 6:15 p. m

West Bound—Main Line
No. 9—Leave ... 4:30 a. m.
No. 5—Eagle Leave ... 12:01 p. m.
No. 15—Leave ... 7:30 p. m.
No. 11—Leave ... 5:00 p. m
No. 19—Leave ... 9:35 p. m.

Lexington Branch
No. 655—Daily except Sunday Leave ... 5:10 a. m
No. 656—Daily except Sunday Arrive ... 11:40 a. m.

Warsaw Branch
No. 567—Daily except Sunday Leave ... 5:30 a. m.
No. 658—Daily except Sunday Arrive ... 12:30 p. m.

MISSOURI PACIFIC BUS LINES
East Bound
No. 108—Leave ... 3:05 p. m. (Stops at Jefferson City)
No. 110—Leave ... 6:20 p. m.
No. 106—Leave ... 11:05 a. m.
No. 112—Leave ... 2:30 a. m.

West Bound
No. 105—Leave ... 4:25 a. m.
No. 103—Leave ... 8:35 a. m.
No. 107—Leave ... 1:00 p. m.
No. 109—Leave ... 7:00 p. m.

MISSOURI-KANSAS-TEXAS RAILROAD
North and East Bound
No. 6—Flyer Leaves ... 11:53 p. m.
South and West Bound
No. 5—Flyer Leaves ... 6:35 a. m.


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FRIDAY, APRIL 17th - 1:00 P. M.

2 Cows, 5 years old
1 Holstein cow, fresh day of sale
2 Horses
1 John Deere row-crop tractor
1 John Deere binder
1 Simplex Brooder stove
1 McCormick-Deering mower
1 Hoosier wheat drill
1 Wagon and box
1 Running gear
1 No. 4 McCormick-Deering cream separator
1 Set 600-lb. platform scales
1 Ford's milking machine
1 Push truck
1 Corn planter with bean attachment and furrow openers
1 John Deere tractor disc tandam
1 John Deere 14" tractor gang
1 Power 2-hole corn sheller
1 Letz 10" feed mill
1 Steam turbin and bottle washer
1 Wood saw, 28" blade
1 Red rubber endless belt, 50 feet
2 Harrows
100 bushel seed oats
100 bushel corn

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Mrs. W. J. Griessen, clerk

Mrs. John Griessen, Owner

Public Sale

Having decided to move to Oklahoma, I will sell the following described property at my home 1/8 mile north of Beaman, and 7 miles N. E. of Sedalia, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 14th - At 1 O'clock

2 Extra good milk cows
1 Shorthorn yearling heifer
500 Bu. extra good corn
Some headed kaffir corn
15 Bushels ground corn

Chrysler coupe good running order—and good tires

Bridles, halters, spreaders, chain hoist, good lawn mower, dresser, stoves, tables and other items too numerous to mention.

TERMS—CASH

Auctioneer—Lawson Slingan
Clerk—Mack Tomas

OLLIE LOTSPEICH, Owner

• Knob Noster

MRS. F. KENDRICK

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Lewis Leaton, northeast of town, Thursday. Mrs. L. P. Lay led the devotionals, reading a short pageant, "The Cross Veiled". Miss Mabelle Jenks read a poem, "There is a Bridge". The mission book, "A Christian Imperative',, was reviewed by Mrs. Lay, Mrs. W. M. Busby, Mrs. C. E. Foster, Mrs. Henry C. Schlusing, Mrs. S. A. Spiess, Mrs. C. B. Means and Mrs. O. W. Peithman. Mrs. Roy Neighbors was in charge of the business meeting. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

Clyde Guenther, who teaches in the high school, accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Guenther of Lexington to Sedalia Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Guenther's son, Ralph, and Mrs. Guenther. They attended the cantata directed by Mr. Guenther, who is music instructor at Smith-Cotton high school.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neighbors and son, Spencer and J. E. Williams at their home Sunday were Mrs. A. G. Hausam and Polly Ann Workman of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Williams of Post Oak.

The following from Knob Noster attended the sunrise services at Floral hill near Raytown Sunday morning, later attending the world conference of the organized Latter Day Saints church at the auditorium in Independence: Elder and Mrs. R. E. Burgess and son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers and children, Mrs. A. L. Bugbee and daughter, Mrs. Harry Enfield, Misses Ella and Edna Norman, Eval Lee Weeks, David McHarness, Mary Alice Ray, Sidney Nutt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vick and son, Adrain and E. E. Petree.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tyler at their home in Dunksburg Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Allen of Windsor, Maggie Lathshaw, of Topeka, Kas., Mrs. Leo Hughes and children of LaMonte, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elwell and family of near Warrensburg, Mr. and Mrs. Don Zink and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Zink, Jr., and family and W. E. Zink, Sr., and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gallagher and daughter, Mary Helen, Mrs. James Hogan and daughter, Mary, Miss Adah Meredith and Walter Baird were guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Elroy Gallagher near Windsor, honoring the 84th birthday of Mrs. Gallagher's sister, Miss Lottie Huggins.

Mrs. Margaret Hocker received work last week of the death of her great niece, Nancy K. Gregg, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gregg, at Cold Water, Kas. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Overmier, of Sedala, were dinner guests Sunday of her sister, Mrs Walter Underwood and Mr. Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sibert spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. Daisy Eckles and daughter, Maudie in Sedalia. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eckles of Belleville, Ill., spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenks and daughter, Doris, Miss Maybelle Jenks and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright of Warrensburg were guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Miller in Belton.

Patricia Pertham of Kansas City and Louise Perthman, a student at Central College at Fayette spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Peithman.

Child Welfare Chairman Named

The Hughesville Women's Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Charles Bliss last Wednesday with the president, Mrs. Charles Rages, presiding.

Mrs. Garnet Gorrell, project leader on furniture and rugs, led an open discussion on Mexico and agriculture. Mrs. Homer Cunningham used Good Friday as the devotional theme.

A child development chairman, Mrs. Walter Smith, was elected.

It was voted to hold the next meeting, to be at the home of Mrs. Dwight Lowery, at 2 o'clock instead of 1:30 o'clock.

The Longwood club will be guests at an all-day meeting to be held at the Hughesville school in June, and each member is to bring on invited guest at another all-day meeting to be held in July at the school.

Roll call at the last meeting was "What I Want or Most Admire in My Friends."

Banquet Honoring Prof. C. C. Hubbard

The Missouri State Association of Negro Teachers and Lincoln university are honoring Prof. C. C. Hubbard, of this city, with a distinguished service banquet, on Saturday evening, April 18, at 6:30 o'clock, in the cafeteria of Lincoln university, Jefferson City.

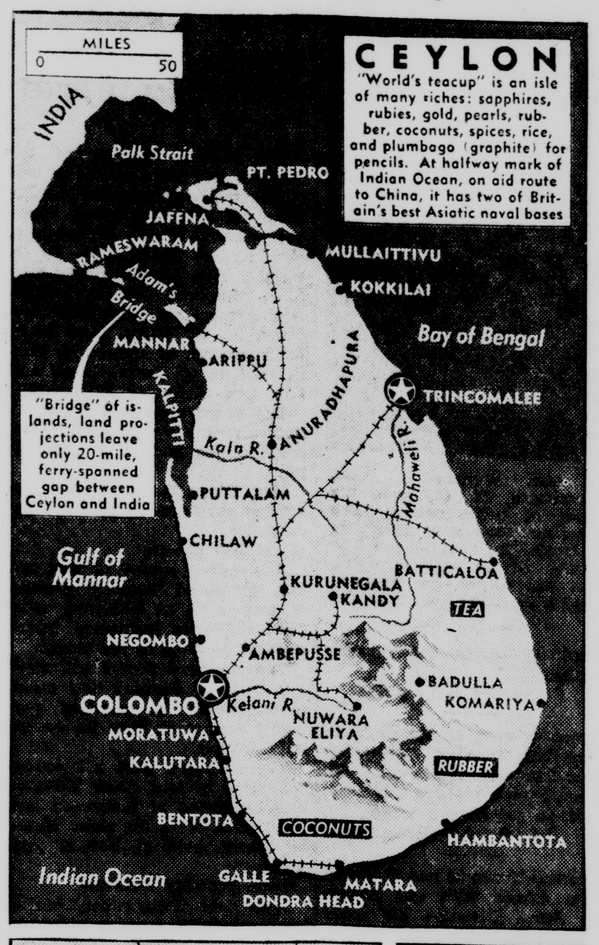
The banquet will be held in conjunction with the educational conference on Friday and Saturday of that week.

Skis for 'V'.



You can't dispute the right of Pearl and Tsi Sun to make that V for Victory with their skis at Sun Valley, Idaho. Gen. Chiang Kai-shek is their uncle.

Teardrop Island Endangered



Already bombed by the Japs, the teardrop-shaped island of Ceylon may be the target of an enemy invasion force seeking to cut Bay of Bengal supply lines and establish another base for attack on India

Library Notes

Below is a list of the distinguished novels of the decade, 1932-42, as submitted by the librarian at the Sedalia Public Library:

The Nazarene, by Sholem Asch—1939.
Inheritance, by P. E. Bentley—1932.
The Patriot, by Bearl Buck—1939.
Keys of the Kingdom, by A. J. Cronin—1941.
Pasquier Chronicles, by George Duhamel—1938.
Rebecca, by Daphue Du Maurier—1938.
All This and Heaven Too, by Rachel Field—1938.
Song of the World, by Jean Giono—1937.
In This Our Life, by Ellen Glasgow—1941.
Magnolia Street, by Louis Golding—1932.
Wind from the Mountains, by Trygve Gulbranssen—1937.
For Whom the Bell Tolls, by Ernest Hemingway—1940.
How Green Was My Valley, by Richard Lleyellyn—1939.
Moment in Piking, by Lin Yutang—1939.
Joseph and His Brothers, by Thomas Mann—1934.
Young Joseph, by Thomas Mann—1935.
Joseph in Egypt, two volumes—1938.
Late George Apley, by J. P. Marquard—1937.
The Thibaults, by Roger Martin du Gard—1939.
Portrait of Jennie, by Robert Nathan—1939.
Yearling, by M. K. Rawlings—1938.
Northwest Passage, by Kenneth Roberts—1937.
Men of Good Will, by Julis Romains, nine volumns — 1933-1941.
Last Puritan, by George Santayana—1936.
And Quiet Flows the Don, by Mikhail Sholokhov—1934.
Bright Pavilions, by Hugh Walpole—1940.
You Can't Go Home Again, by Thomas Wolfe—1940.

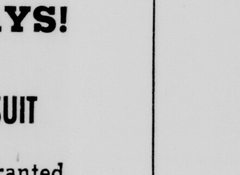
Sergeant Paul Schultz In Officers Training School

Mrs. H. A. Meyer, 500 North Quincy avenue, has returned from Columbia, S. C., where she visited with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Schultz. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Schultz and husband, Sergeant Schultz.

Sergeant Schultz has been with the 128th Field Artillery stationed at Fort Blanding, Fla., but is now attending officers candidate school at Fort Sill, Okla.

Mrs. Schultz will remain here a while.

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CHARTER NO. 1932
PUBLISHED OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

UNION SAVINGS BANK

At Sedalia, State of Missouri at close of business on the 4th day of April, 1942, published in the Sedalia Democrat, a newspaper printed and published at Sedalia, State of Missouri, on the 12th day of April, 1942.

ASSETS

1.	Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	$ 490,451.59
2.	United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	56,080.00
3.	State, county and municipal obligations	30,648.82
4.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	21,054.35
5.	Corporate stocks, including $ None of Federal Reserve bank stock	None
6.	Loans and discounts	347,120.57
7.	Overdafts	217.56
8.	Banking house owned $ none, furniture and fixtures $1.00	1.00
9.	Other real estate owned, including $ none of farm land	500.00
10.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances executed by or for the account of this bank	None
11.	Borrowed securities (contra)	None
12.	Other assets	None
13.	TOTAL (must agree with Item 25)	$ 946,073.89

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

14.	Deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations (except banking corporations):	
	(a) Demand deposits	$ 640,076.17
	(b) Time deposits evidenced by savings pass books	192,909.53
	(c) Other time deposits	7,220.25
15.	Deposits of other banks and trust companies	None
16.	United States Government and postal savings deposits	None
17.	State, county, and municipal deposits	23,228.33
18.	Certified and officers' checks, letters of credit, and travelers' checks sold for cash	6,401.65

Total of Items 14 to 18, Inclusive:	
Secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	$ 23,228.33
Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	846,607.60
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$869,835.93

19.	Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	None
20.	Acceptances executed by or for the account of this bank and outstanding	None
21.	Securities borrowed (contra)	None
22.	Dividends declared but not yet payable	None
23.	Other liabilities	None
24.	Capital Account:	
	(a) Capital stock and capital notes* $	35,000.00
	(b) Surplus	15,000.00
	(c) Undivided profits	4,724.82
	(d) Reserves	21,513.14
	(e) Total Capital Account	76,237.96
25.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL (must agree with Item 13)	$ 946,073.89

*This bank's capital is represented by $ None capital notes sold to Reconstruction Finance Corporation and $ None sold to public; None shares of first preferred stock, par value $ None per share; None shares of second preferred stock, par $ None per share; and 350 shares of common stock, par $100.00 per share.

MEMORANDUM: LOANS AND INVESTMENTS PLEDGED TO SECURE LIABILITIES

26.	United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	None
27.	Other bonds, stocks, and securities	$ 12,590.71
28.	Loans and discounts	None
29.	Total Assets Pledged	$ 12,590.71
30.	Pledged:	
	Against United States Government and postal savings deposits	None
	Against State, county, and municipal deposits	12,590.71
	Against deposits of trust department	None
	Against other deposits	None
	Against borrowings	None
	With State authorities to qualify for the exercise of fiduciary powers	None
	For other purposes	None
31.	Deposits of state banks and trust companies in liquidation preferred under provisions of Sections 7897 and 7926, R. S. Mo. 1939	None
	Total Deposits Secured and Preferred by Law	$ 12,590.71

STATE OF MISSOURI, COUNTY OF PETTIS, SS:

We, Chas. A. McNeil, as president, and H. W. Mason, as cashier or secretary of said bank or trust company, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct in all respects to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CHAS. A. McNEIL, President.
H. W. MASON, Secretary-Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of April, A. D. nineteen hundred and forty two.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. (Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring April 3, 1943).

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Girl Scout Notes

Intermediate and Senior leaders will meet in the Girl Scout office Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. If your monthly troop report is not in, please bring it.

Brownie Troop 56 met at Broadway school Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Banner and LaVonne Wright as leaders. We decided to help our country by collecting tin and lead foil. We sang a group of Brownie songs and Mrs. Banner read us a story about "The Musical Chair." LaVonne Wright taught us a new game. We closed by saying the Brownie promise and singing the Brownie song.

Beverly Miller, scribe.

Brownie Troop 58 met at Jefferson school with our leader Mrs. Lambrith. We had roll call and after that we pasted pictures in our emergency books. We learned to sing a new song and we dismissed by saying the Brownie Promise.

Joyce Kell, scribe.

Troop 57 met at Mark Twain school last Tuesday. We made Easter favors for the hospital. We did not have a meeting this week as we do not have a leader.

Dorothy Ann Reed, scribe

Brownie Troop 60 met at Washington school with our leader, Mrs. Jones Tuesday. We made colored baskets for some patients at the hospital. We are going to make more next week. We played a game and were dismissed.

Louise Renfrow, assistant scribe

Brownie Troop 53 met at Broadway school Tuesday and Mrs. Charles Wilson and Mrs. Howard Roberts met with us in the absence of our leader, Mrs. Ross. They taught us some first aid and we learned to wrap foot, head and hand bandages. Each one said their Brownie Promise and we sang some songs and dismissed.

Donna Rae Gnerl, scribe.

Brownie Troop 51 had a party at our leader's home Friday afternoon before Easter. All were present but one, and we had an Easter egg hunt out of doors. We each got a basket of eggs. We played games out of doors and then Mrs. Bailey served us refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies. We had a wonderful time. We had our regular Brownie meeting at Mark Twain school Tuesday with Ruth Elaine Scruton, our assistant leader. We said the Brownie promise and played a game called "May I." We have a new scout in the troop, Dixie Blethrode. We dismissed with the Magic Touch.

Joyce Scott, scribe.

Girl Scout Troop 17 met at Mark Twain Wednesday. We had a test on our artificial respiration in first aid. We also learned to bandage fingers and arms.

Joan Drake, scribe.

Troop 3 met at Mark Twain school Tuesday with Miss Mary Edith Harnsberger, our leader. We had a business meeting and discussed the plays we have been writing. We sang taps and were dismissed.

Joan Rosenthal, scribe.

Troop 8 met at Horace Mann school Monday. We had our second lesson in first aid. It was "What A First Aid Kit Should Contain." Miss Marian Phipps was our instructor and we were very happy to have her. Ten girls are working on their Health and Safety Badge.

Voncile Winston, scribe.

Troop 24 met at St. Patricks Wednesday. We opened the meeting by singing "White Cliffs of Dover." We were told by our leader, Mrs. Comer, about the Defense Stamp Buying Day for Girl Scouts, May 23. We worked on our first aid and we were told that all troops who have finished their first aid, will join in a First Aid demonstration at Liberty Park May 16. We closed the meeting by singing "Anchors Aweigh."

Marie Louise Burlette, scribe.

Troop 18 met at Broadway school Tuesday with our leader, Mrs. Hoffman. Mrs. Lange gave us our final test in first aid. Those that were at every one of the meetings took the test and everyone passed. Our next meeting will be at Mrs. Hoffman's home where we will fix flower containers for Girl Scout Flower Day to be held May 2. We dismissed with taps.

Wilma Ruth Shelton, scribe.

Troop 7 met at Whittier last week and were glad to have Mrs. Ridgeway back again. We hope she can meet with us every week now. We learned to tie a few knots and Mrs. Corson read us about first aid, and next week we will answer questions on what she read.

Barbara Haggard, scribe.

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No. 1 Mother, '42



To Mrs. William N. Vize, Greensboro, N. C., goes the honor of being named "The American Mother of 1942" by the Golden Rule Foundation. The mother of 13 children, Mrs. Vize has helped her husband build a profitable coal business.

Red Cross Weekly News

The regular meeting of the Pettis county Red Cross board was held in the Bothwell hotel Monday with the following board members present: Phillip McLaughlin, Mrs. Arthur Kahn, Mrs. C. A. Wright, Mrs. Harold Dean, Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Mrs. R. F. Rohn, Miss Agnes Quin, Miss Ruth Ann Slane, A. H. Wilks, Miss Mary E. Tevebaugh of Houstonia, Mrs. H. A. Hite of Green Ridge, and Mrs. Lon Slaton of Hughesville.

The board appointed Dr. J. E. Cannady chairman of the disaster, preparedness and relief committee.

Mrs. Edgar V. Scifers was appointed chairman of the publicity committee.

First Aid Classes

A standard course in first aid was completed Tuesday evening of last week at LaMonte, with Cecil Smith as instructor. There were 27 enrolled in the class.

The advanced course will meet this Tuesday evening and make arrangements for meeting two nights each week until the course is completed.

The standard first aid course conducted by Mrs. Anna McNeish was completed at Longwood last week with 15 in the class. Meetings were held at Bois d' Arc farm.

Home Nursing Institute

Miss Reba Gum, county health nurse of Pettis county, and Mrs. D. A. Lyne, attended the Home Nursing Institute held at the District Public Health office in Higginsville, Wednesday. A Home Nursing consultant from the midwestern branch office of the American Red Cross instructed a group of 16 representatives of three counties.

Map Reading Course

The Motor Corps will begin a course in map reading Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the armory. Major Eugene Hansman will instruct the class. All Motor Corps members are requested to be on time.

Loan Closet Bare

The Loan Closet of the American Red Cross, like Old Mother Hubbard's closet, is bare. With warm weather approaching and people putting their blankets and quilts away for the summer, the Red Cross chapter is appealing for any donations of these two articles that citizens of Sedalia might wish to make.

The chapter needs a small reserve supply and would be pleased to receive at this time any donations for next winter.

Surgical Dressing

The surgical dressings department has resumed a regular schedule. Work is conducted on Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a. m. to 3:30 p. m., on Thursday from 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m., on Friday from 1 p. m. to 3:30 p. m. and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9:30 p. m.

All volunteers are urged to resume their regular time at the earliest opportunity. The surgical dressings department has a large program at the present time.

Pant Cuffs To R. C.

The American Red Cross will collect from the city's clothing stores the wool clipped from trouser legs in obedience to the no-cuffs-on-pants order of the War Production Board.

Selling the wool clips into proper channels for converting them into reprocessed wool should bring into the coffers of the local Red Cross chapter a nice sum of money.

Want Stray Dogs Tied Up

Numerous complaints have been made to this office, as well as to police headquarters, of stray dogs running over gardens, and in some instances killing little chickens.

Chief of Police H. Anderson requests owners of dogs to watch them, and to do what they can to prevent them from disturbing their neighbors' yards.

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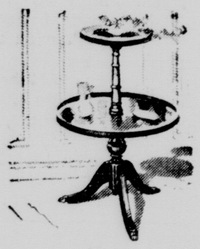
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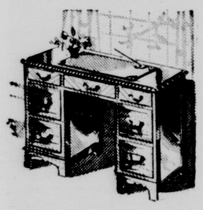
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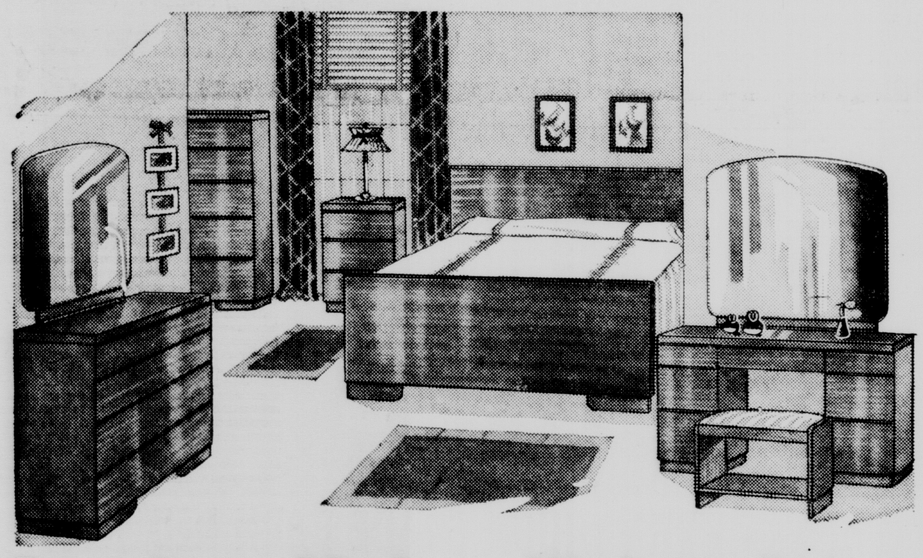
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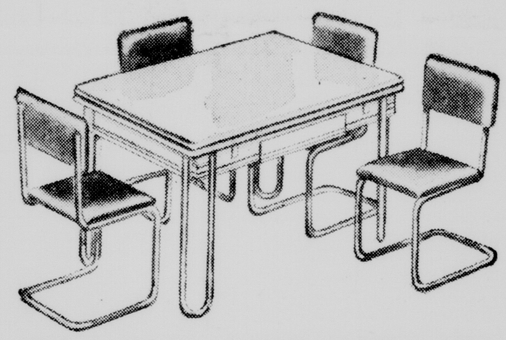


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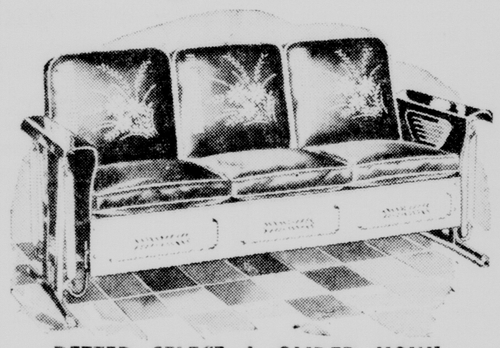


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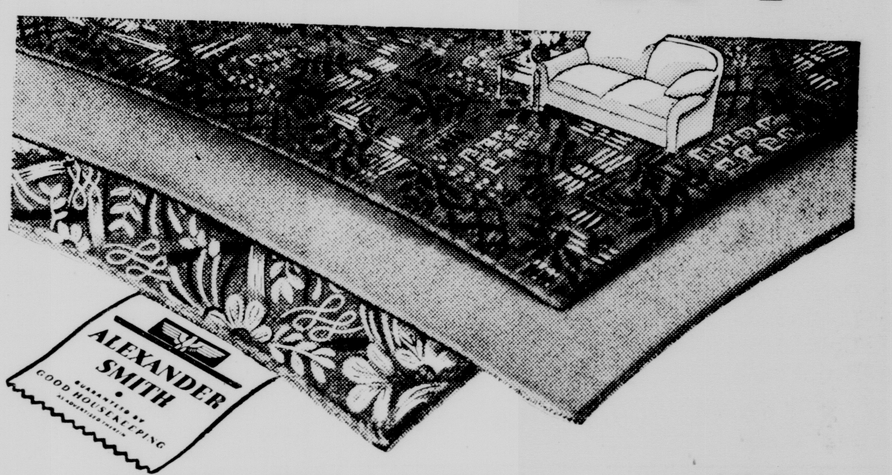
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Furniture Sales Reach New High As Spring Arrives

Cite Parents As Best Buyers Of Furnishings

Why do people buy new furniture?

There are many reasons, of course, but one of the most important, according to furniture men, is recognition of the good influence of a well-furnished home on growing children.

"Parents in all walks of life want to give their children the benefit of the best possible environment," a prominent furniture man explained recently. "They know that when a home is comfortable and attractive, children want to stay at home . . . and invite their friends to drop in. And the family circle is the best place in the world for them. Furthermore, a well-cared for home helps to teach children, early in life, to respect property and help to keep it in good condition—a valuable lesson."

Good Fortune Appreciated

Right now, when the war is forcing the breaking up of so many homes, those who are fortunate enough to be able to keep their homes intact are more conscious than ever of their value, he declared.

"As a nation," he continued, "we Americans tend to take our good fortune for granted. Now we're beginning to realize how lucky we are. Even with the nation at war we can continue to "keep up the homes we're fighting for" because there is plenty of wood, and plenty of wood-working machinery, which cannot be used in the war effort, to maintain production for civilian needs."

Girls Learn Early

Speaking of the influence of children on American home life, furniture men also are impressed with the interest which many teen-age daughters show in the furnishings of the family home.

Time was, it was pointed out, when girls knew little of furniture or other furnishings until suddenly, before or even after marriage, they were confronted with the problem of establishing homes of their own. Nowadays — because they have a voice in the improving of their parents' home—they have in many cases, definite tastes and preferences of their own before they begin to shop for themselves.

Report Mirrors Still Plentiful

Homes which lack the decorative touch which only mirrors can provide have no excuse this spring, for stores have adequate supplies of new mirrors on hand and manufacturers have reported that the outlook for continued production is good.

Not that there aren't headaches in this business, as in almost all others, due to the demands of the war. But only certain styles and construction features are hit; no vital shortage has yet struck this division of the home furnishings industry. That's a situation which home-makers who like plenty of mirrors in their homes will find cheerful!

Among manufacturers' headaches are the following:

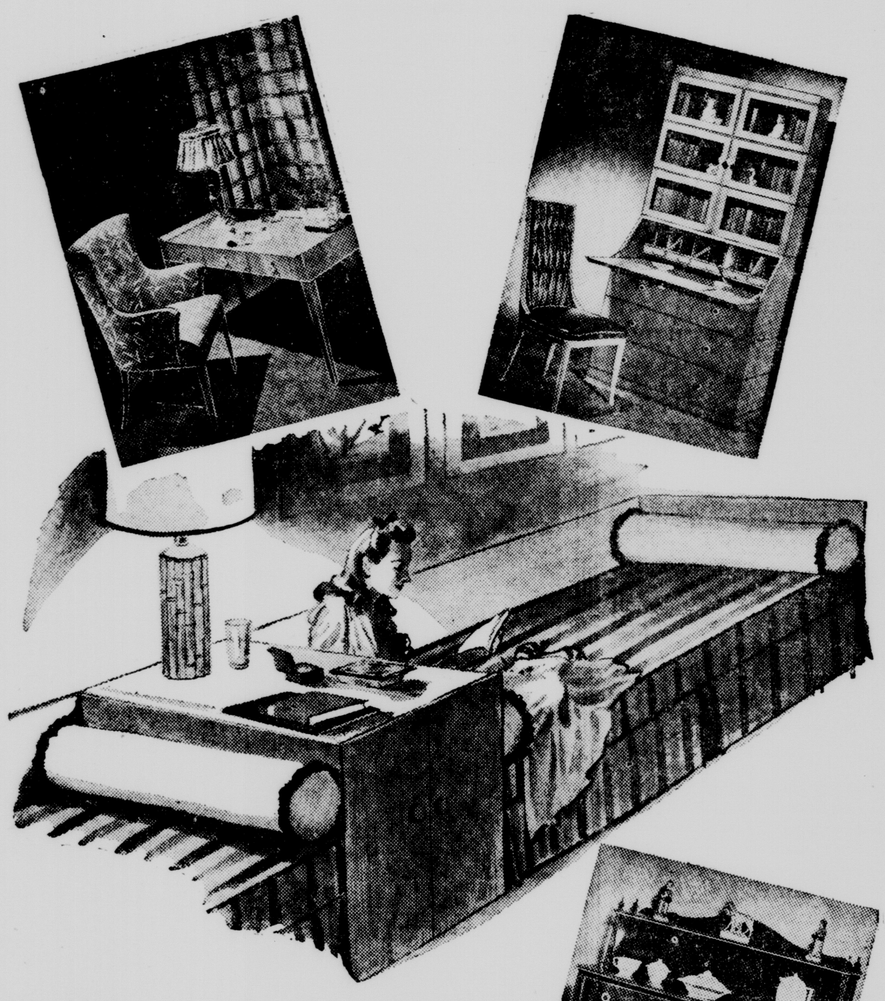
Shortage of cartons is forcing a return to more expensive crating . . . etchers, who are skilled workmen who can be used in defense plants, are hard to keep on civilian payrolls . . . glue, used in rococo and Federal style frames, is on quota . . . scarcity of wallboard to back unframed styles has brought a change to wood backing . . . metal leaf, used on frames, is all imported and will be out when present supplies are gone . . . blue glass is through, on account of the ban on cobalt . . . bronze finishes are, of course vanishing because bronze, with a copper base, is a major war need.

All this means that consumers may not find just the mirror they want . . . but they'll find one quite similar and, these days, that's something!

Furniture Factories Are Producing War Goods

Bomber noses, life boats, life preservers, down-filled sleeping bags, canvas tents and gun parts are just a few of the war material products being manufactured by home furnishings producers. It is estimated that approximately 27 per cent of total home furnishings production capacity can be converted to war production with the remaining capacity available and adequate for civilian goods needs.

Practical Beauty Will Endure in American Home





The Business Girl (center) relaxes, reading at home 'mid gracious surroundings she herself creates. Charm Magazine research among defense industry business girls, shows double purpose pieces such as these most practical.

Advanced Modern (top, left) is the handsome grouping of tapestry wing chair, light mahogany table, Belgian Congo lamp base, and Baroque Scroll, seamless Wilton rug.

Beauty With a Purpose (top, right) in a modern light mahogany secretary-desk; every inch affording storage, space. The companion desk chair's unusual back is designed for comfort and upholstered in chocolate color leather.

Scaled To Small Homes (right), an Early American sideboard, with quaint detachable hutch, built of soft, aged finish cherry, it makes an ideal dining room piece.

Stores Report Rush For Porch And Lawn Lines

If reports from the South, where spring arrives early, forecast what's to come in other sections of the country, then America is all set to buy more outdoor furniture within the next few weeks than in any comparable period in the nation's history.

As the sun swings northward sales of gliders and chairs and umbrella sets and outdoor equipment of all kinds are swinging upward. Americans know that outdoor life is healthy, that they should let the sun's rays get in their invigorating work, especially these days when it is so necessary for workers to keep fit. And, being Americans they want to be comfortable while they're about it—hence the demand for well-styled outdoor furniture.

No More Metal

Much furniture of this type is made of metal and, in this classification, the merchandise now on display in the stores is the last of its kind, until priorities give way to peace. Production of "metal household furniture" — meaning any furniture containing more than 5 per cent of metal in the net weight of the finished product and applying to lawn and porch furniture as well as interior furniture —has been drastically curtailed.

The War Production Board's limitation order L-62, signed Mar. 20, limits the output of all manufacturers during April and May and, effective May 31, production must halt entirely. The steel that once made gliders and settees hereafter will go into planes and tanks.

Furniture men emphasize that purchase of steel furniture (or any other merchandise already in finished form and on retail floors) does not hamper the war effort in any way. Dealers placed large orders for equipment of this type at the wholesale markets held last November and production was underway long before Pearl Harbor. Large stocks are on hand in stores throughout the country. For this reason, selling will continue in normal fashion this spring, but merchandise sold now can no longer be replaced.

Wrought Iron Vanishing

Stocks of wrought iron furniture, popular for outdoor use, also are substantial, but it is estimated that this type of furniture will be off the market by the end of this year.

In rattan furniture the situation is much the same. No curtailment order has been issued by the government, but rattan used by U. S. manufacturers comes from the Dutch East Indies, now occupied by the Japanese. When present supplies are used up (and, fortunately, they are large) there won't be any more.

From a style standpoint, this year's outdoor furniture differs but little from that shown last spring, but no objections have been raised, for 1941 models, is was agreed, were the most colorful and best styled in the industry's history. Many of the most popular models show a Pan-American influence in design and color, using motifs inspired by research in Guatamala and other South and Central American countries.

And here's a tip from stylists who should know. when manufacturers are able to introduce new models, look for designs inspired by another country fighting with the democracies: China. The Chinese influence, apparent for some time in interior decoration, was beginning to move outside when the pressure of more vital business interfered.

Keep up the homes we're fighting for.

Good Furniture Going Into Defense Homes

When "defense housing" hit the headlines it was generally supposed that the demand would be for inexpensive furniture, but manufacturers of more expensive grades have discovered that they have a market among defense workers, also.

Although employees of war industries usually arrive at their new jobs without much accumulated capital and are not paid high wages unless they are skilled craftsmen, steady income and, in many instances, two or three members of the same family are employed. The result is a total family income that justifies the purchase of well-made and well-styled furnishings.

Surveys prove that home-makers living in defense houses, like their sisters elsewhere, consider the future when purchasing furniture and prefer to select merchandise which will still be useful in larger homes later on.

Wooden Gliders Popular

All-wood gliders, not affected by shortages of metal, are being produced in increased quantities, to insure that America's supply of outdoor furniture will remain adequate.

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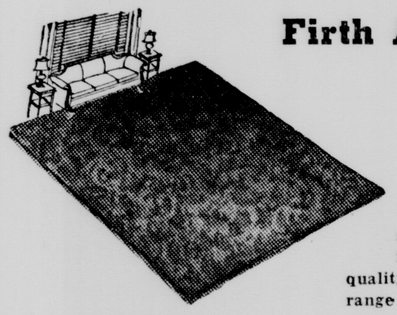
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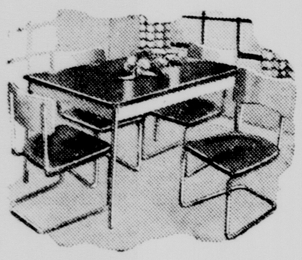
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Sweet Springs

By MRS. WALDO ANDREW

Mrs. E. H. Berry had as dinner Easter her brother, Joseph Falker and her son and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Berry and son, Eddie and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry and daughters, Carolyn and Marjorie.

Miss Emma Shackleford of Malta Bend, who was formerly a teacher in the schools here has purchased the Simall residence from Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Parsons and will move there to make her home when school is dismissed.

Mr. and Mrs. Huston Elsner and Mrs. Roger Jones spent a day recently in Kansas City, as did Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. G'Sell.

Mrs. N. L. Yankee and Misses Kate and Dollie Andrew spent Easter in Sedalia with Mrs. Ollie Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Yankee.

E. C. John of the quartermaster department at Camp Crowder and Miss Sarah Louise John, who is attending CMSTC, spent the week-end at their home with Mrs. E. C. John.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Walker of Marshall were guests Sunday of her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Haggard.

Mrs. Guy Hall was called to Macon during the past week to be with her mother, who fell and suffered a head injury.

Miss Mabel Ringen, who teaches in St. Louis, spent the Easter vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Ringen.

Miss Catherine Baker, who is employed with the unemployment bureau in Jefferson City, spent the week-end with her father, C. M. Baker, and her aunts, Misses Mayme and Sadie Wheeler.

Miss Marionette Milton, who is a stenographer in Washington, D. C., is spending a two weeks vacation with her mother, Mrs. Lennox Crockett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and son of Warrensburg, and Miss Georgette Dierking of Kansas City spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dierking.

Among those students who spent the Easter holidays at their homes here were Edna Rhe, Sarah Louise John, June Phillips, Betty Weir, and Elma White from Teachers college, at Warrensburg; Clyde Wallace Parsons and Harold Eckhoff from the University of Missouri, and Charles Neubauer from the Teachers' college at Kirksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harvey and daughter and Miss Winifred Harvey of McPherson, Kas., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ploger, who have been spending the winter in Florida and Hot Springs, Ark., arrived Monday to spend a month here with her mother, Mrs. Davis, and sister, Mrs. Anna Laird and son Juddy.

Miss Sylvia Smith of Kansas City spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. F. H. Smith.

A. W. Chatham of Warrensburg spent from Monday until Wednesday with Mrs. W. L. Chatham and Mrs. W. E. Andrew. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker of LaMonte and Clyde Heynen and Mrs. Mildred Faulkner of Sedalia visited at the Chatham Andrew home Friday evening.

James Pelot of Sedalia, visited here Sunday and was accompanied by Misses Nettie and Julia Pelot to Higginsville for a visit with their aunts.

Word has been received from Clifford Bray that he is now with the United States army in Ireland.

The pre-Easter week of prayer was observed by the ladies of the Christian church last week. On Tuesday they met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Stuerke, on Thursday with Miss Mayme Wheeler and on Friday with Mrs. J. F. Jarvis. Mrs. Howard Reavis, Mrs. Glen Shields, and Mrs. Carl Henderson gave a book review.

Miss Virginia Louise Dickerson of Chicago spent the Easter holidays with her father, D. H. Dickerson and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Steinmetz.

Portable Swing Wins Approval Of Parents

With the approach of summer, mothers of babies and toddlers are showing increased interest in combination baby swings and stands, which may be folded up and carried outdoors. Thus infants may be safely "parked" in their own rooms in inclement weather, or on the porch, lawn or beach when weather permits.

Although the stands are standard height, the device may be adjusted as the baby grows by shortening the chains by which the swing is suspended from the top upright. Heavy web straps insure that children with a desire to go exploring nevertheless have to stay where they belong.

See Larger Production Of Fibre Furniture

When steel, wrought iron and rattan outdoor furniture is no longer available, American homemakers won't have to buy standard living room furniture for use on porch and lawn. There's a satisfactory alternate material ready at hand: fibre.

During the last war there was a marked increase in the production of fibre furniture and word from the furniture industry is that a similar swing may be expected this time. Some factories long have used both rattan and fibre and can increase production of one type as shortages force a decrease in the other.

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Early American Designs Continue As Stars of 1942 Styles Shows



With the nation's increasing patriotic spirit and love of things American, comes a natural continuance of Early American styles in furniture. Typical of bedroom suites featured in thousands of stores is the grouping shown above, adapted from the furniture designed by the founders of the republic. For comfort's sake, and for appearance too, the lines have been smoothed and bulkiness removed, to achieve a pleasant, homey effect. The wood, of course, has a mellow maple finish.

Lamps Can Add To Charm Of Room Setting

A room's charm can be made or broken with the choice of lamps. Lamps should not be shosen indiscriminately or because of price. Distinguished. charming or interesting lamps will do as much for a room as a color scheme, lovely fabrics, beautiful furniture.

Lamps can be fun . . . or disguised . . . a new fashion trend is taking some old utensil or motif and transforming it into a lamp. The first prerequisite is that it be ornamental or decorative. Today, in many stores, you will see, either in its old state or reproduced, lamps made of coffee grinders, ornamental parts of an old wrought iron fence, pharmacy jars filled with peppermint sticks or flowers, old carriage lamps, even riding boots and old cannister sets made into lamps.

Lamps can be fun . . . or distinguished . . . . but let's have character in our lamps.

Leather Still Available For New Furniture

Despite tremendous purchases by the government of upholstery leather for seats in "Jeeps" and other transport cars, for the many ships under construction and for other purposes, there is no danger of the public being deprived of leather upholstery for household furniture.

That's the cheerful news from the leather industry. The reason is that consumption of beef has greatly increased, which means that hides, which are a byproduct, are more plentiful than ever. In addition, the automobile industry which has been a tremendous user of leather, is no longer in the market, which enlarges the supply for furniture still further.

Sales of leather to upholstered furniture manufacturers have more than tripled in the past two years, it is reported.

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Charm Greatest Need

By ESTER HANSEN MC TIGHE

Do you remember Sunday dinner at grandmother's house?

How proudly she would spread the white linen tablecloth, with the crease exactly folded in the center, with what care she laid out the best china and silver? An how she went out into the garden and arranged a centerpiece of flowers she herself had grown, and went down into the cellar and picked out jars of her best perserves and pickles for the Sunday feast?

It's one of your most precious memories — Sunday dinner at grandma's—enveloped in warmth, good smells, a feeling of well-being. Now, as grownups, we know that this memory is somewhat linked with the word "charm."

Still Needed Today

It's that kind of charm we must work hard to bring back into our homes today. A whole generation of Americans have been traveling hither and yon, in automobiles, boats, trains and airplanes.. We've been a lot of places and have seen a lot of things. We're a much broader nation for having done so.

But our homes have suffered. They show a lack of interest, warmth. They are almost sterotyped. They lack charm.

Let's do a quiz on our homes. Look at your house with the eyes of a stranger. Beside each one of the questions below write an answer to yourself, and when you have finished you'll be able to evaluate whether or not your home is droopy.

Eight Questions

Ready? Go.

1. Does it look as dated as a feather boa?
2. Is the color scheme pleasant, a planned one, or "just happened" one?
3. Is it comfortable? Are there good comfortable chairs and a sofa to sit in? Are the beds in good condition?
4. Does it give the impression of warmth and hospitality?
5. Has it a lived-in feeling, or does it look only like the place you hang your hat?
6. Has it a shabby look?
7. How long has it been since you made something for your home yourself?
8. Has your home little individual touches that you have thought of yourself, which give it the feeling that it is **your** home, and not someone's else?

More Important Now

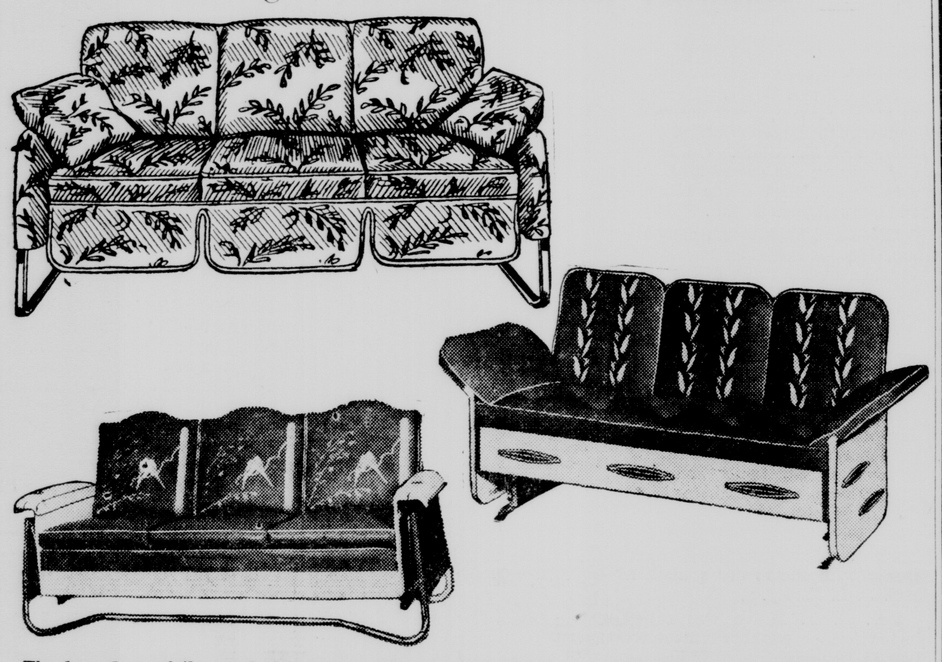
There! You'll say this isn't fair. But it is.

Because today home, always an important place, has suddenly become much more important. It's more than a place to hang our hats. It's the place where our husbands will return at night, weary with longer hours and added nervous strain. It's the place where our friends will gather for an evening of fun and relaxation because we are all staying at home more. It's the place where our boys in the service, if you're fortunate enough to live near a military base, will come for a taste of home cooking and to recapture the feeling of home.

Above all, it's the place where we want our children to grow up, giving them the foundation of good taste, charm, and color—for their own future homes.

Home today is woman's own defense line. Let's do something about it!

In The Limelight; Colorful Outdoor Furniture



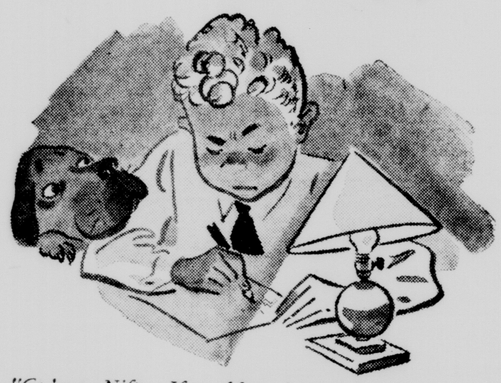
The lazy days of the good old summer time are just ahead . . . and America is getting ready to move outdoors in comfort, thanks to the dazzling array of outdoor furnishings now adding color to store displays. Gliders, like those illustrated above, are much in demand, as present stocks cannot be replaced, due to wartime demand for steel. Both models feature reversible cushions; one has wood arm panels, the other extra pillows. Both have locks to stop the gliding motion when desired.

Bright Colors Mark New Outdoor Lines

Outdoor furniture makers, who in past seasons have demonstrated that they have few inhibitions insofar as the use of vivid colors is concerned, this year have topped even last spring's collection of brilliant hues.

"There's no 'favorite color' this year that we can determine," a southern store reported last month. "Reds, blues, greens, yellows—they're all going well. But strong, bright colors definitely are preferred to 'wishy-washy' tones."

"Go 'Way, Nifty!"



"Go 'way, Nifty. If you felt as dopey as I do after trying to do homework by that dim old lamp . . . guess you wouldn't want to play, either. Gee, if I only had an I.E.S. lamp like Butch!"

How To Make Homework Easier

If your children are having trouble with their homework it may be due to poor lighting. Better check up on it today and see what a difference good light can make. A certified I.E.S. lamp with at least a 100-watt bulb supplies scientifically designed lighting that is kind to young eyes, makes homework easier, and may even produce better grades.



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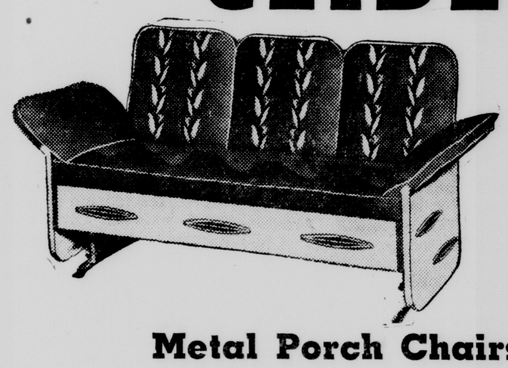
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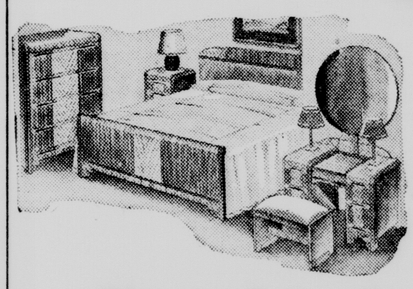
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You can't beat the durability of metal porch furniture! Comfortable coil spring construction. Easy glider action! Choice of red, blue or green, handsomely decorated.

Metal Porch Chairs . . . $4.95

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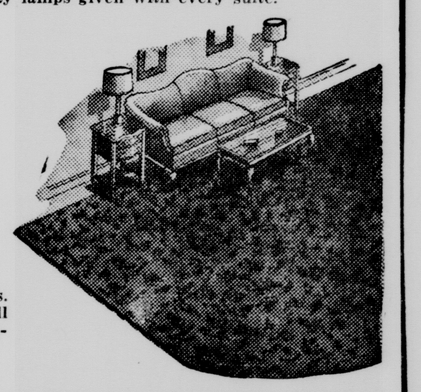


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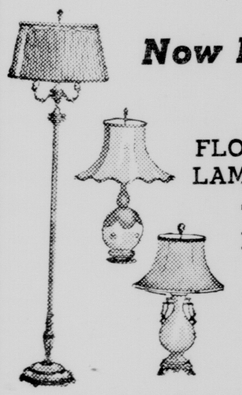


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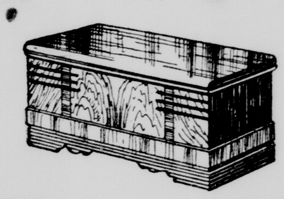
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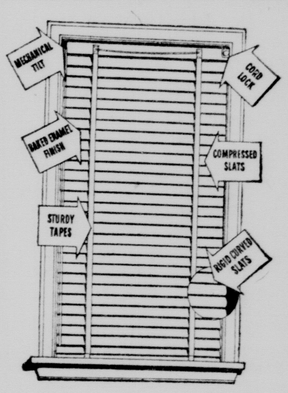


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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON AND ROBERT S. ALLEN

Roosevelt offers Joseph Kennedy job as shipbuilding czar; army and navy air crashes show no increase in percentage; Cadets get more and better training than in World War I; Boy, 13, writes President, asking to join army as mascot.

WASHINGTON — Joseph Patrick Kennedy, former U. S. Ambassador to the Court of St. James's, scarcely has been on speaking terms with the President of the United States since he returned from London.

Once the two were great friends, but Kennedy differed radically with Roosevelt regarding the war, contended that the President was going too far in aiding Britain. Most of last year, therefore, Joe sulked in the background, frequently referred to Roosevelt in derogatory language.

The other day, however, the President wrote Joe Kennedy a letter, making the amazing proposal that the ex-Ambassador take over the construction of all ships for the war program. This is one of the most important jobs in the Government.

Ex-Ambassador Kennedy did not accept with alacrity. He wrote back a letter outlining the terms and conditions under which he would take the job.

Harry Hopkins' White House

Several government officials were driving by the White House in a taxi. They looked out at the excavation and building operations, only scar on one of the most beautiful gardens in the country.

"Wonder what they're adding to the White House now?" asked one official.

"Oh," replied the taxi-driver, "they're making more room for Harry Hopkins."

Air Crashes

With the tremendous war expansion of the Army and Navy air branches has come an accompanying frequency of press reports of crashes by fledgling pilots. These stories have brought a flood of worried inquiries to Washington authorities.

Relatives of aviators have expressed concern over the number of these accidents and the adequacy of the training programs.

The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND has investigated both matters. For military reasons detailed figures cannot be disclosed. But the following generalizations can be published.

1. That the U. S. percentage of accidents is less than that of the British, and appreciably under the best available German figures. The casualty rate among Nazi trainees is reported to be quite high due to limited training facilities, personnel and equpiment.

2. While U. S. accidents have increased numerically because of the greatly increased number of men in training, the percentage of accidents has not increased. Today it is about the same as the ratio in 1940. This fact is of key importance, since it means there has been no deterioration in the basic quality of the army and navy air training system despite speed-ups and other war factors.

3. The present training systems are far superior to those of the World War. Trainees are selected more carefully and given much more and better instruction before they get their coveted wings.

The question of allowing military air crashes to be reported has been a subject of inner circle debate for some time. Some authorities contend this is valuable information to the enemy, and cite the fact that Britain has banned such press stories.

The President, however, has not entirely agreed with this view. He is against publication of totals or percentages but sees no objection to press reports of individual mishaps. This is the policy being followed but the question is still under discussion.

Army Mascot

The President got a letter the other day that touched him deeply. It was delivered by Representative John McCormack, Democratic House leader, and was from a 13-year-old boy of Hyde Park, Mass., who wanted to join the army. His name is John McGrath, and this is what he wrote:

'You may think me silly, but please try to understand. I know I'm too young to enlist as a fighting man, much too young, but what I'm asking is, please could I be an army mascot or serve some other way? Please.

"I have my father's and mother's permission to join up to defend our country. I don't want to sit home and only buy defense bonds and stamps. I want to do something with the U. S. Army. I don't care if I don't get one cent pay. You see, the war may be over by the time I'm old enough to join.

"Don't think I'm fantastic, because I realize what I'm writing, so please, please let me be a mascot or SOMETHING. Please."

The President was so moved by young Johnny's plea that he referred the letter to Secretary of War Stimson, but army regulations contain no provision for 13-year-old mascots. Ducreed Major General James A. Ulio, adjutant general of the army: "John will have to await his 18th birthday before he will have an opportunity to serve."

Three Sides

War Production chief Donald Nelson was guest of honor at a recent luncheon given by Alabama congressmen and gave them some interesting information about the struggle to convert reluctant industries to war production. Nelson spoke of the criticism he and other WPB officials have to endure on this score.

"What most of the critics do not seem to realize," he observed with a grin, "is that there are not two sides to every question, but three —their side, our side, and the truth."

Political-Go-Round

If Federal Judge James V. Allred decides to step down from the bench and run against Senator "Pappy" O'Daniel, the able, liberal jurist can be certain of strong administration backing. "Pappy" is definitely not popular around the White House, while Allred is a great favorite of the President. . . . Representative Lyle Boren, anti-New Deal Oklahoma Democrat, faces tough competition to hold his seat this year. Fred McCabe, young liberal former member of the State Legislature and a whirlwind campaigner, is after Boren's scalp. . . . B. J. Brown, Indiana Townsend-plan leader, emphatically denies that he is "entering into any political deal with the Republicans" . . . . Reason for the recent mild tone of Representative Clare Hoffman is that the Michigander is worried about his re-election prospects and is soft-pedaling on his former noisy isolationism.

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Side Glances



"The trouble with the government is they spend too much time talking and not enough time actually working."

Looking Backward

forty years ago.

R. H. Gray, county clerk, has traded his Alamo block, Third street, between Ohio and Osage avenues, valued at $25,000, to G. W. Pampel of Kansas City for property there.

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A horse attached to the delivery wagon of J. B. Holdner the grocer, ran away at Pettis and Moniteau streets Saturday evening. Driver George Stumpf succeeded in stopping the animal before any damage was done.

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John L. Rogers, who has been serving as merchant policeman since last October, was reappointed yesterday for another year by Mayor J. L. Babcock.

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The Sedalia Military band of 16 pieces will be increased to 20 pieces soon.

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Earl Castle's Red, White and Blues defeated the Tenth street Sluggers yesterday by a score of 20 to 18.

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SHE WAS Looking AROUND WONDERING IF SHE Could HAVE MOVED It WHEN THE Word Came THAT A Woman HAD FAINTED IN THE Wash Room AND THE Story AS TOLD To Me IS THAT The BOX WAS Taken OUT OF The Car BY THE Second Woman WHO TOOK It To The WASHROOM TO Open THINKING IT Might BE SOMETHING WORTH WHILE AND WHEN She Saw WHAT IT Was —JUST A Dead Cat— SHE FAINTED I THANK YOU.

Green Ridge

By Mrs. J. B. Myers

The April meeting of the Junior Mutual Improvement club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ragar with Miss Agnes Smith as hostess. The president, Mrs. Loy Smith, presided over the business session. More plans for the annual Mother's day party were made. The program consisted of a talk by Mrs. Earl Hinken on the "History of Latin America." Cut flowers were used on the tables, and refreshments in the Easter motif were served. Attending were: Mesdames Waldo Harbit, Raymond Wasson, Clarence Mahin, Miss Mary Louise Spickert and Miss Mildred Gover. Guests were, Miss Ann Seeley and Miss Eilene Linville.

The city and school election in Green Ridge Tuesday resulted in E. K. Moffett being re-elected mayor; J. B. Myers, marshal; Miss Nellie Jones, collector; W. H. Trone and Harold Echoff, aldermen. The three school directors elected were Wilford Acker, Oscar Davis and Elvis Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wadleigh had as weekend guests their daughter, Mrs. Lee Templeton and Mr. Templeton of Kansas City, and on Sunday for dinner the party was joined by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McCampbell and son of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Smith and son, J. L., Joseph Upton, Mrs. Ethel Gehle and son, Mrs. Albert Upton and sons.

Miss Alma Carleson of Kansas City was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Carleson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Boltz and daughter, Helen Francis, and Miss Mildred Sims drove to Boonville to join their brother, Joseph K. Boltz and wife of Franklin, Mich., and their sister, Mrs. E. R. Wareliam of Fort Smith, Ark., and their mother, Mrs. Myrtle Boltz. The day was spent at the home of a niece, Mrs. Earl Renfro and Mr. Renfro. The Boltz's were accompanied home by Mrs. Myrtle Boltz.

Miss Mildred Gover, who teaches at Blairstown, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. T. J. Close and Mr. Close. On Saturday evening she entertained Miss Ann Seeley, Miss Eilene Linville, and Miss Agness Smith.

Miss Cecil Vogelbaugh of Madison, Wis., is spending her Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaugh.

Mrs. Phillis McCampbell and son, Daniel McCampbell had as Easter guests Saturday and Sunday their daughters and sisters, Mrs. L. K. Wood, Mr. Wood and daughter, Mary Ann, of Independence, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Skinner of St. Louis and Mrs. J. V. Moore and daughter, Carol Ann of Mexico, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Farley and children, of Kansas City, spent Easter with the former's mother, Mrs. D. L. Farley.

Rev. D. A. Moore was called to his former parish south of St. Louis Thursday to conduct a funeral. Mrs. Moore accompanied him and will visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. H. Brockman of Eureka.

C. A. Wisdom, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank, spent Thursday in Kansas City. He was accompanied by his wife.

Alton B. Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Myers, who has been engaged in defense work on the west coast for some time, telegraphed his parents Tuesday that he has been transferred to Parker, Ariz., where he is employed in building a concentration camp for evacuated Japanese.

Mrs. Orland Gillilan and daughter, of St. Louis, arrived Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Gillilan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ream. They were accompanied by Mrs. Harold Hausam of St. Charles, who is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Helman.

Miss Bettie Bell Purchase, who is a student at C.M.S.T.C., was an Easter guest at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Purchase. Miss Velma Louise Purchase, a student at Central college, Fayette, spent the Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Purchase.

Shorty Is Still Scooting Around



Syracuse

By MRS. B. A. BRIDGES

A farce in thee acts: "There Goes The Bride," was presented by the junior class Friday evening in the high school auditorium with the following cast of characters: Katheryn Kanenbley, Dallisrose Carver, Leonard Klein, Dina Maloney, Kenneth Crouch, Jewell Mais, Alvin Lowe, Kathryn Dix, Calvin Otten, Marjorie Aldrich, R. J. Collins, Orlyn Carcum.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roessler were very pleasantly surprised last week when their daughter, Mrs. Harold Beems, of Muskogee, Okla., came to assist in the celebration of Mr. Roesler's birthday which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Keevil.

Harvey Stevens, of Kansas City, Mrs. Edward Bardwell and Mrs. visited over the weekend with Nettie Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Nelson were in an automobile accident Saturday evening near Bunceton. Mrs. Nelson suffered a broken arm and several bruises about her face and was taken to the Boonville clinic for treatment and later brought to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Mase and children of Allville visited last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mase and Mr. and Mrs. Will Birch.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin West sold at public sale last Tuesday their stock and furniture and left immediately for Sacramento, Calif.

Harlan Burns, of Kansas City, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. W. H. Olney has returned to her home after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. B. C. O'Rourke and Mr O'Rourke, of St. Louis.

Mrs. Helen Self, of Sedalia, was the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. B. A. Bridges and Van, for the past week.

Mrs. Lester Palmer has returned home after a visit with her husband in St. Louis, who accompanied her home. They are redecorating their home.

Mrs. Chester Dornas, of St. Louis, visited last week with Mr and Mrs. Allie Thomas and Mrs Lou Reed.

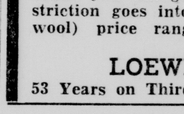
Omar Siegel, of Bixby, Okla. was here last week visiting hit sister, Mrs. Ray Kenenbley and family.

Lee Maloney attending the A. A. T. Kansas City spent the weekend with his family here.

Mrs. M. T. Keevil and daughter, Mary Hubbard, visited last Wednesday in Columbia.

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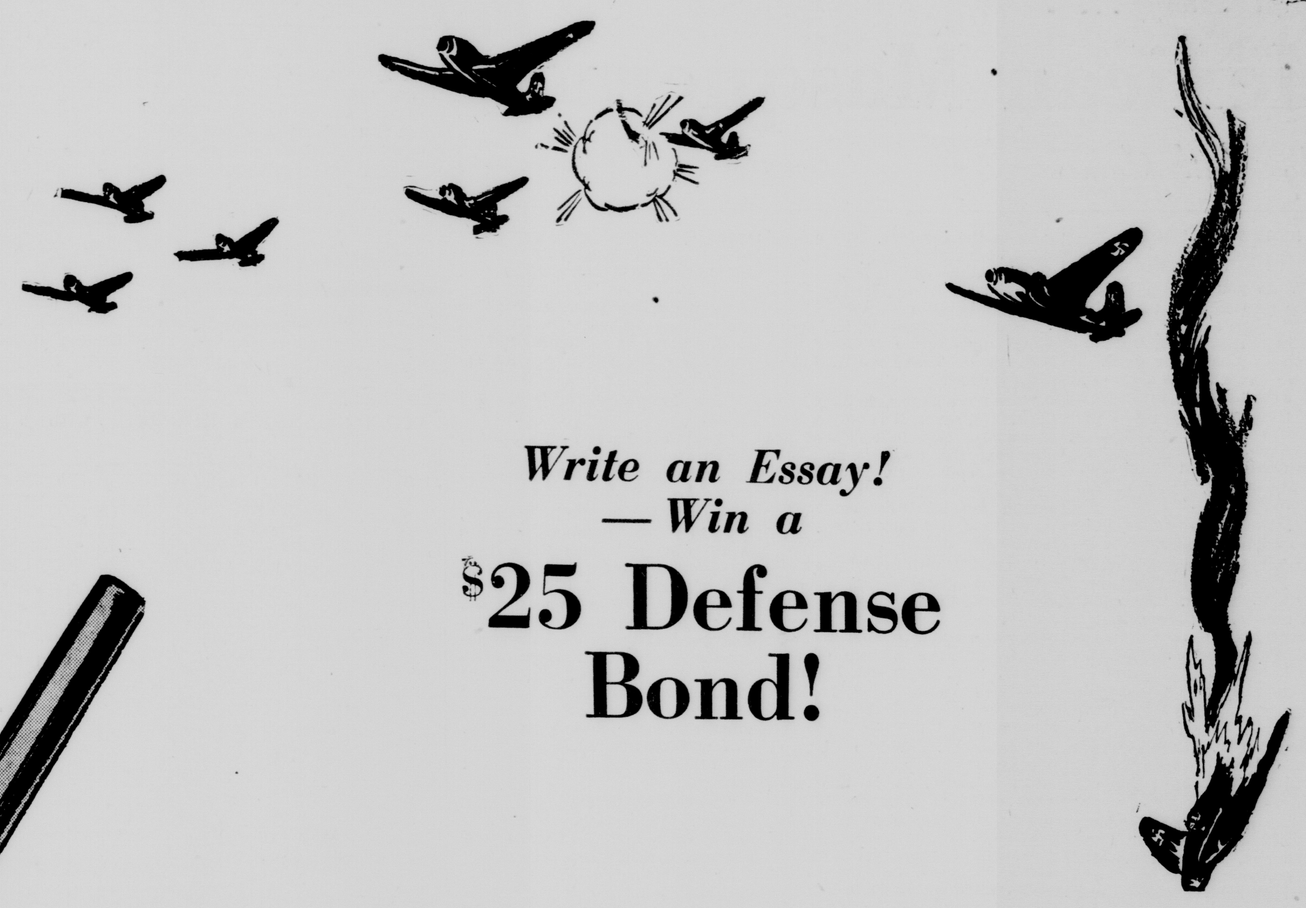
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Mexican Masquerade

by Cecil Carnes

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STATE OF SIEGE

CHAPTER XVI

"HOW do you happen to have the transcript of that cable, Colonel?" Allan asked.

"You have seen me excuse myself each evening after dark. It was to go down to the shore and receive a water-tight cylinder of reports from a Peninsula Indian who swims them down from a point five miles up the gulf. Business as usual, senor! That transcript was part of last night's grist from the mill."

"I see. Swims five miles, huh? What about the sharks?"

"I don't believe a shark would bite a Peninsula Indian," said Escobar thoughtfully. "I wouldn't care to myself. However, that is how I received the copy even before De Fontanelle received the original."

"But, Colonel," interjected Kay, her eyes opening at him, "if this Indian comes every night, why hasn't he brought a boat in which you could have escaped to the mainland and arranged for our rescue?"

"I could have done no more out in the world than I am doing here, senorita, believe me. If I should go, our enemies would smell a rat and perhaps destroy you people as any criminal destroys evidence. While I'm here, they think they have me under control."

In other words still, mused Allan, regarding the rurals thoughtfully, Escobar was quite simply risking his life rather than leave them to face the angry Japanese alone. Their truculence had been growing, too, as the radio brought news of steadily increasing tension in the Orient between the United States and Japan.

"Permit me to tell you, Colonel," said Allan slowly, "one thing I have learned down here; if we get into this war and you fellows come in with us, we'll have an ally whose efficiency will amaze the world."

"Why, thank you, senor, thank you! And never doubt for a moment, if you go in, we'll be there with you!"

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THE next morning, barely an hour after dawn, Allan awoke from a dream of battlefields in Russia. A few seconds he lay drowsing, then sprang from his bed to his feet in one jump. Machine guns! The usually quiet morning was being turned into a hell of noise by the sharp chatter of machine guns! Dozens of them, it sounded like!

A spurred step, grown familiar rang in the corridor. The colonel stood in the doorway, smiling and pulling at his mustache.

"Hola! Get up, sleepy-head! You're missing a battle!"

"What the devil is it?" cried Allan, clawing on clothing with both hands. "Have the U. S. Marines landed?"

"You were expecting them, perhaps? No, senor, it is only a body of roughly clad fellows who are attacking the main island from the Peninsula shore. The cannery has made many bitter enemies among the local fishermen, you understand. Or they may be just bandits."

"Bandits! With machine guns?"

"Mexican bandits, too, are efficient," said Escobar blandly. Then he laughed suddenly at Allan's expression and threw out his slender hands in a gesture of surrender. "No, my friend, I will be frank with you. What you are about to witness is an affair of international diplomacy."

"Diplomacy! With brass knuckles?"

"In a sense. It is this way, senor: Mexico discovers a Japanese outfit grossly violating her neutrality. If she protests to Japan, what happens? Japan smiles; she is so sorry, but she cannot hold herself responsible for the acts of unofficial Japanese. So Mexican bandits wipe out the unofficial Japanese, and if Japan protests—are we, nationally, responsible for a stray bunch of outlaws? You see?"

"My aunt! Well, who are these fellows, then?"

"My own regiment of rurales, senor. They have ridden here from Ensenada to rescue their colonel and his friends! They will show you, I hope, that a Mexican rurale can land as effectively as your Marines!"

* * *

THEY hastened to the foyer, whence they might have a full view of the hostilities without exposing themselves to stray bullets. Kay was already there, staring at the scene before her in bewilderment. Escobar thoughtfully brought chairs, observing they could consider themselves as having a stage box for the coming show. It should, he said, be good.

It was good; so Allan decided as he settled with quickening pulse to watch the first real battle he had ever seen. Meanwhile, in a low incisive tone that carried beneath the inferno of noise, the rurale added a few details to the story he had told Allan. He had, it appeared, been up at dawn when the "bandits" arrived.

"They sent a flag of truce—three men and an officer—to demand the unconditional surrender of the island. Watanabe rejected the notion with scorn. The flag went back. As the four men stepped on the beach, a machine gun opened on them from the island, killing or wounding all of them. The flag party, you understand!"

"The yellow devils!" growled Allan.

"They will be sorry," predicted Escobar softly. "Our fellows will remember that when the time comes!"

The happy moment, however, hardly seemed imminent. On the shore, men and guns were sheltered cunningly behind boulders and in the scrub. A black muzzle would appear from a cleft rock, discharge a raking burst of bullets that combed the island, then disappear to come out again at another spot. On the island, innocent looking rocks would be revealed abruptly as pillboxes, spitting flame and smoke and singing lead. But neither side could penetrate the other's defense of stone and concrete.

"Devil take it!" grumbled the colonel. "I knew they had fortified the place; I didn't know they had converted it into a Gibraltar!"

At the end of an hour he was knitting his brows; at the end of two, he was biting his nails; at the end of three, he was actually chewing his mustache. Then Allan clutched at his arm and pointed to the western sky.

"Look, Escobar! Look!"

One minute it was a tiny speck. The next, it was a plane. Then suddenly it was a huge amphibian bomber which was power-diving at the men on the peninsula even before they were aware of the death overhead. No bombs were dropped—Allan remembered what Dr. Sargent had said about the sensitive quality of the new explosive—but from each flank of the great plane, and from its bow, guns spat destruction on the scurrying figures below.

The ship straightened out, soared aloft, came streaking down again. It was more than flesh and blood could stand. The Mexicans scattered and ran, searching madly for crevices in the rocks in which they might hide. For the moment, the siege of the cannery was definitely lifted. As if scorning to pursue the fugitives, the bomber circled the spot once or twice, then dropped softly to the blue waters of the gulf. It taxied to within 50 feet of the island's main pier, then stopped. For the first time Allan could make out the insignia of the fuselage. A great black swastika!

(To Be Continued)

• V for Victory

A plant engaged a short time ago in making stainless steel beverage containers now produces hundreds of oxygen cylinders for high altitude fighting and bombing planes. On the same day that the last beverage container was made, 300 skilled workers began making the cylinders. No time was lost by the men, and it was not necessary to install expensive machinery for the changeover.

In New York City, restaurants displaying a red, white and blue poster with the slogan "We are Cooperating With the New York City Defense Recreation Committee," give reduced prices to men in uniform. New York's entertainment committee distributes about 11,000 free tickets weekly for legitimate and motion picture theaters in the Times Square area.

President Roosevelt's private reception room in Washington Union Station has been turned over to soldiers, sailors, and marines. The President greeted distinguished visitors in this room, and used it himself whenever he left or entered the city.

Free motion picture tickets, dances, home hospitality, and sports are provided for members of the armed forces who visit Eugene, Ore. The Elks Club holds open house at all times. In a recent two-week period, 3000 men stopped overnight or longer.

Rates to servicemen have been cut in half by 15 hotels in Syracuse, N. Y., accommodating more than 1000 men.

First Florist

The business of selling flowers and flower seed began in New York City, in 1802. Grant Thorburn, a nailmaker, lost his job and, when neighbors admired his wife's geraniums, conceived the idea of selling potted plants.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. When a woman telephones for an appointment at a beauty salon should the person answering say, "I think 3 o'clock will be all right"?
2. If someone is beginning a novel which you have read, should you wait until after he has finished it to discuss it with him?
3. Should a maid who lives in be allowed to have guests occasionally?
4. Is cake with a "gooey" frosting eaten with a fork?
5. Should a cream puff be eaten with a fork?

Answers

1. It is better to say "Yes, 3 o'clock will be all right" than to act indefinite about it.
2. Yes.
3. Certainly.
4. Yes.
5. Yes.

First balloons were inflated with hot air, obtained by burning damp straw and wool.

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ALLEY OOP — Are Their Faces Red? — By V. T. HAMLIN



WASH TUBBS — ? ? — By ROY CRANE



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES — Yes, Indeed — By EDGAR MARTIN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — Guess Who? — By MERRILL BLOSSER



Today's Pattern



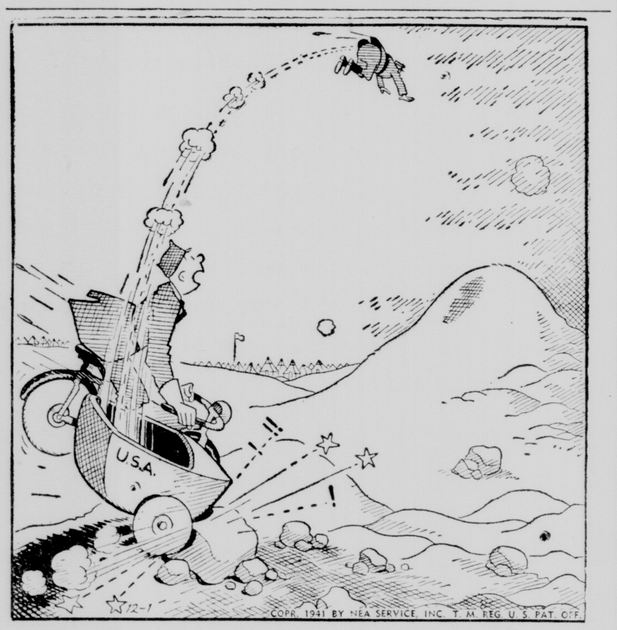
Side Closing

A fresh, new style idea in little girls' frocks meets the eye in todays' dress pattern! There's military dash, in fact, in the side button closing which runs briskly from shoulder to waistline. The perky flaring skirt can be marked off in sections too. Make this playtime and school time frock in crisp and plain or printed cotton, trim with buttons and matching bias fold tape.

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I—Announcements

2—Cards of Thanks

RINGEN, HENRY A.—I wish to thank friends, neighbors and Rev. Hurd for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of my beloved husband. Also those who sent flowers.
Mrs. Anna M. Ringen.

BUTLER, MRS. CATHERINE — We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and sympathy shown at the time of our recent berevement. Also those who sent flowers.
Mr. Chas. Butler and family
Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Hudson.

YOUNGKAMP, JOSEPH H.—We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our neighbors, friends and especially Father J. A. Biter, for their kindness and sympathy shown at the time of the death of our beloved husband and father.
Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp and children.

7—Personals

BRYANT—radio, fans, irons and electric utilities repairing. 622 E. 5th.

SUBSCRIBE to the Kansas City Star, delivered twice daily. Phone 2405.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES — See your local registrar. Mrs. Anna Berger, notary public. 618 E. Broadway. Phone 3166-W.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES completed for mailing to State Board of Health Office. See your local registrar. Phone 3166- R. 618 E. Broadway, notary public.

10—Strayed. Lost. Found

STRAYED—Brown and white toy terrier. Gib Owens. Phone 657.

LOST DIAMOND SET from ring, March 18th. Phone 911. Reward.

LOST IN SEDALIA two blue-ticked hounds, male and female. Name on collars. Notify Orval Keightley, Windsor, Mo.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

GOOD USED CARS — Bargains. Chevrolets, Model A and others. Decker Motor Co., 15th and Ohio.

1937 CHEVROLET coach, exceptionally good rubber, mechanically near perfect. H. Ream, Green Ridge, Mo.

1938 CHEVROLET—Town Sedan, radio and heater. 1933 Chevrolet sedan, perfect tires. Phone 942, Sherman Meyer.

3—1941 Ford Tudor Sedans
1938 Ford Fordor Sedan
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1932 Ford Tudor Sedan
1932 Ford Coupe, 4 cylinders
2—1930 Model A Sedans
1933 Buick Sedan
1931 Pontiac Sedan
1933 Ford Truck
1940 G. M. C. Truck
See us for Ford Reconditioned Motors.
REAVIS MOTOR COMPANY
La Monte, Mo. Phone 2

12—Auto Trucks for Sale

DODGE panel truck, like new. Call Homer Hall. Phone 766.

15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

GIRLS BICYCLE — Phone 587. Call between 7:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

CARPENTER and general repair work. Call Lester Marye. Phone 2491-W.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened, welding and blacksmithing. Leo Greene, 208 East Main.

ELLISON RADIO SERVICE, 211 West Main Street. All makes. Phone 637.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S. Osage. Phone 854.

CARL GOIST—Authorized Philco Radio Service, 614 S. Ohio. Phone 139.

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MAGNETO SERIVCE — Bosch-Webster, Fairbanks-Morse and all makes. Complete line parts. Phone 410, residence 1133. Haar Battery and Electric Service.

18—Business Services Offered
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GLASS WORK—All kinds of glass glazing. Fingland at Cash Hardware and Paint Company.

HOUSE MOVING — buildings raised and leveled. J. P. Dunham and Son. Phone 108, Otterville, Mo.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE — All makes, Household and Commercial. Sedalia Refrigeration. Phone 234.

SAVE FOOD COSTS! Rent a Food Storage Locker, $10.00-year. Sedalia Refrigerated Food Lockers, Main and Ohio.

REFRIGERATOR SERVICE commercial and domestic, washer and vacuum cleaner service. Parts, wringer rolls, dust bags. Burkholder Maytag.

MEN'S HATS CLEANED and reblocked, free call and delivery service. Phone 1030. Also best invisible soleing. Sedalia Hat and Shoe Repair Shop.

HAVE YOUR old cotton mattress made over into one of those fine spring mattresses, at a very reasonable cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company Phone 131.

FOR COMPLETE—motor reconditioning and crankshaft grinding, see Roy Sirks, 212 East 2nd. Street. Phone 422.

24—Laundering

WANTED—Day work. Curtains, blankets, small bundles laundered. 1328 evenings.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storing

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

TWO GIRLS over 21. New Way Cafe. Phone 3276.

FOR HOUSEKEEPING — Call after 5 p. m. 818 East 4th.

WHITE GIRL general housework, care of baby. Good pay. Mrs. R. Jiedel, 120 W. 7th. Phone 4032.

MAKE MONEY sewing at home. No selling. Material furnished. Easy. Pleasant. "Tie Co." 412 W. 6th, Los Angeles.

WANTED BEAUTY OPERATOR —Fast, all round, salary, steady work. Write Margie Woolridge, 5001 Michigan, Kansas City, Mo.

33—Help Wanted—Male

WANTED — Experienced butcher for meat market. Box 100 Democrat.

WANTED — Experienced service station attendant for night work. Write Box "11" care Democrat.

SALESMAN — Resale work for Kansas City feed manufacturers. Salary, expense, car allowance. Must have car. Hatchery or poultry experience helpful. State age, references, past ten years experience. Spear Mills Inc.

OPEN RAWLEIGH ROUTES are scarce but in so vast an organization expansion creates new opportunities. If ambitious, willing to start with good earnings and increased rapidly write for full information. We supply sales, advertising literature—all you need. Rawleigh's Dept. MOD-551-118, Freeport, Ill.

MARRIED MAN—25-35 for salaried position with leading National Finance Company, car furnished and expenses paid. Collection experience desirable but not essential. Furnish full details of education, personal history, all previous positions held, and general qualifications. Recent snapshot must be enclosed. Write Box "770" care Democrat.

36—Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED—Mature woman wants position as working companion to lady. Phone 3125.

V—Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

LOANS—Farm - City 4½% to 5% Save 25% on your insurance. W. D. Smith, 307 Trust Bldg.

VII—Live Stock

48—Horses, Cattle other Stock

FOR SALE—Good milk cow, Jersey. 5 years old. Phone 692.

3 MULES—Age 1-2. Paul Baum, Route 1, Waterworks Road.

NUBIAN GOAT—just fresh, good milker. Reasonable. Phone 2338.

FRESH COWS—5 gallons, Jersey bull, bred gilts. Scotton. 78-F-22.

FOR SALE—10 to 25 ewes and lambs. John Rissler, Houstonia, Missouri.

WE PAY — for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia, 3033.

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70 purebred (non-registered) breeding gilts, $30 each, your choice, in groups of three or more at Lamm Bros. farm, immediately West Missouri State Fair Grounds. Present weight about 200 pounds each.

VII—Live Stock

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock
Continued

49—Poultry and Supplies

LEGHORN COCKERELS
Available Every Thursday
Also other day-old Chicks in various Breeds at low prices. All breeders Missouri Approved, bloodtested. Phone or call. (Bring your eggs for Custom Hatching on Tuesdays and Saturdays.)
Bagby Poultry Farm
318 W. 2nd Phone 975

BABY CHICKS — Hatched from Pettis County's finest egg strains. A new hatch every Tuesday and Wednesday. Custom hatching a specialty. Also headquarters for vitamized poultry feeds; poultry health products, chick brooders, feeders, fountains, etc. Write or call in person any day of the week. Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 406 W. 2nd. Phone 3076 Sedalia, Missouri.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

BUGGY with top and harness. Leo Greene, 208 East Main.

FISHING TACKLE, out board motors, pipe, plumbing supplies, paint, brushes, harness, stoves, garden tools, washing machines, everything in hardware. Lowest prices. Cash Hardware and Paint Company, 106-112 West Main.

NEW STORE—1207 Ingram, bargains in everything. "Let's Trade." Phone 3355.

52—Boats and Acessories

OUT BOARD MOTORS—One 50 hp; one speed boat; one new 1½ hp. Johnson. Bungalow Boat Co., 726.

VIII—Merchandise

55A—Farm Equipment

NEW TRACTOR PLOW—14" or 12" bottoms, with new True-Pull design. Plow faster, easier, more economically. 12" only $113.00. Place your orders now. Montgomery Ward Farm Store.

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HERE'S GREAT NEWS! — Just received a car load of Twin Row Tractors on rubber tires. Complete with starter and lights, in two sizes, 2-14" plow tractor $739.00 F.O.B. factory, 2-12" plow tractor, $639.00 F. O. B. factory. Amazing fuel and oil economy. Can be bought on Ward's income payment plan, ¼ down, balance 2 years. Come in today and ask about this mierical tractor. Buy now, while you can get one on rubber tires. Tractor complete with plow, cultivator only $904.00. Montgomery Ward and Company, Sedalia, Mo.

56—Feed, Fuel, Fertilizer

COAL, wood. McCampbell Fuel Company, 512 W. Main. Phone 687.

WINDSOR Deep shaft lump, $4.35 ton; nut coal $4.00; stoker, $3.50 ton. Also gravel. Phone 2197 Lawrence Keel.

57—Good Things To Eat

FRYING CHICKENS full dressed, 60c each. Phone 3061.

58—Home-made Things

For Sale BEAUTIFUL hand crocheted bed spread. 324 East Howard.

59—Household Goods

HAND PAINTED French dinner set, serving of twelve. 1016 W. Broadway

AUCTION SALE — Thursday, April 16th, 1:30 P. M. 5 rooms of furniture, antiques, some walnut pieces, canned goods and garden tools. Mrs. Sallie Church, Dresden, Mo.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

WEEK END SPECIALS at Wards Farm Store:

2 year old rose bushes	ea. 35c
Onion sets, fancy Peacock, lb.	16c
Fancy fruit trees, Elberta peach	ea. 39c
Garden seed 10c pack	6 for 42c
Vigoro, complete plant food	10 lbs. 85c
Lawn seed, 1 lb. box	27c
14 qt. milk bucket	ea. 43c
Collar pads	ea. 55c
⅞" hay rope	100 ft. $5.25
1" poultry netting, 12" high	50 ft. 96c

66—Wanted to Buy

WANTED TO BUY—Whole milk. Beatrice Creamery Company. Phone 510.

CASH—for your furniture, stoves and rugs. Callies Furniture Co. Phone 412.

SET OF USED steel wheels for F-12 McCormick Deering tractor. Phone 283.

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VIII—Merchandise

66—Wanted To Buy
Continued

DON'T WASTE — Waste paper, rags, old tires, scrap iron and metals. Call 59 or 301 W. Main.

IX—Rooms and Board

68—Rooms without Board

MODERN sleeping room with privileges of home. Close to town. Mrs. W. J. Brill. Phone 1210.

ONE unfurnished room. Heat and water furnished. 7th and Ohio. Phone 4067.

X Real Estate For Rent

74—Apartments and Flats

RUBY LEA—5 rooms unfurnished. See janitor or call 1378.

APARTMENTS—Furnished. Frigidaire, heat and water. Phone 1317.

NEW modern 5 room lower apartment, desirable location. Phone 2866-J.

5 ROOM modern upper unfurnished apartment. Close in. Phone 1727.

DUPLEX—625 West 6th. Redecorated. Available now. Can see anytime.

MODERN 3 ROOM apartment. Unfurnished. 109 West 7th. Phone 614.

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MAY 1—3-room furnished apartment, down stairs; stoker heat; utilities paid. Call 2926 or 2150.

MODERN 4 room apartment, corner 13th and Ohio. Phone 3044-R.

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TERRY HOTEL furnished complete efficiency apartments Electric refrigerator, hot and cold water, heat, janitor and elevator service.

DEAN APARTMENTS— 4-room, fire proof efficiencies, furnished or unfurnished. Heat, water, Kelvinator, heated garage. Janitor service. Phone 1597.

76—Farms and Land for Rent

80 ACRE improved farm. Phone 1951.

60 ACRE farm cheap. Inquire, 1919 South Stewart, Sedalia, Missouri.

77—Houses for Rent

5 ROOM modern house. 1103 West 6th. Phone 1357-W.

6 ROOM modern house, desirable location. Phone 2858.

MODERN 5 room house, west side. Phone 22-F-12.

6 ROOM—modern house, 1508 S. Grand. 5 room modern house, 1105 S. Carr. Garages. Phone 736.

ENJOY—the comforts of a restful 5 room, modern West Broadway home, ample front lawn, spacious rear for war gardening. Furnished or unfurnished. After 6 o'clock weekdays phone 1365; Sundays all day for appointment.

78—Offices And Desk Room

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79—Shore, Mountain, Lake for Rent

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XI—Real Estate for Sale

83—Farms and Land for Sale

FOR SALE — Sullivan County, North Missouri farm. 190 acres, 2½ miles of County Seat town, near gravel road. Good 6 room house, good barn and henhouse. Good grass farm, mostly under woven wire fencing. 10 acres good pasture and saw timber. Only $5,000.00. Small down payment, low interest rate, 15 year loan. D. H. Cowgill, Milan, Missouri.

84—Houses for Sale

FOR QUICK SALE — 5-room modern except heat; East; near school; store; church. Porter Real Estate Company.

9 ROOMS— north grand; 8 rooms, south Osage; 7 rooms, south Prospect; 6 rooms, south Carr; 5 rooms, south Sneed; 6 rooms, south Washington; 4 rooms, west 5th; 5 rooms, east 13th; 4 rooms, west 4th; terms; Kent D. Johnson, phone 199.

STRICTLY modern six room house, full basement, garage, on corner, 1320 East Thirteenth Street. Must be sold to settle an estate. If you want to buy a bargain, look at this property and see E. S. Shortridge, Waldman Building. Phones 1152 or 1032.

• Civilian Defense Workers

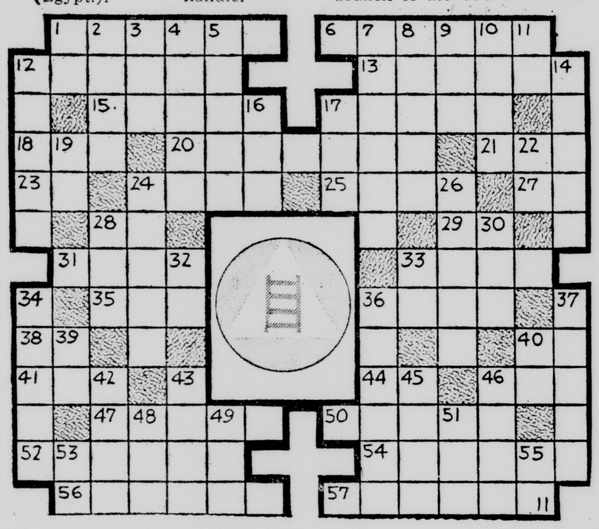
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1,6 Depicted is insignia of the U. S. Civilian Defense ——.
12 Progeny.
13 Overturns.
15 A matgrass (pl.).
17 Slight deviation from truth.
18 Fuddled (Scot.).
20 Fill the place of.
21 River (Sp.).
23 Part of "be."
24 Violent Adriatic wind.
25 Gumbo.
27 Mystic ejaculation
28 Toward.
29 Lieutenant (abbr.).
31 They are ready for action in case of an air ——.
33 Whit.
35 Aged.
36 Solar disk (Egypt.).
38 Ream (abbr.).
40 Greek letter.
41 Constellation.
44 Symbol for tantalum.
46 Fish eggs.
47 East Indian bark.
50 Rate of movement (music).
52 Transgressor.
54 Revert.
56 These squads are made up of —— —— each.
57 Having handle.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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VERTICAL
1 Right (abbr.).
2 Sea eagle.
3 Tunisian measure.
4 Cirrus (comb. form).
5 Beneath.
7 Makes a cry like a duck.
8 Shoe part.
9 Donkey.
10 Animal.
11 Street (abbr.).
12 Deviate.
14 Ostiole.
16 Health resort.
17 Important branch of the Tai race.
19 Print measure
22 Peacock butterfly.
24 Seethes.
26 Modify.
28 Philippine peasant.
30 2000 pounds.
32 Doctor of Divinity (abbr.).
33 Near.
34 Stuffs.
36 Behind a vessel.
37 Hand-mill for grinding grain
39 Written form of mister.
40 Negative reply
42 English queen.
43 Opine.
45 Type of gun.
46 Repulse utterly.
48 Hotel.
49 Priority (prefix).
51 Parent-Teacher Association (abbr.).
53 Pronoun.
55 Music note.



• The Markets

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, April 11.—(AP)—U. S. D. A.)—Hogs—Salable receipts, 300; today's market nominally steady; not enough good and choice hogs here to make a market; quotable top, $14.50; compared with a week ago, 45 to 50 cents higher; sows 60 to 75 cents higher.

Cattle—Salable receipts, 300; calves none; compared last week, average-choice to prime steers and yearlings 25 cents higher; all others steady to 25 cents lower; week's top, $16.70, paid for 1,447-pound averages, highest since November, 1937; largely $11.52 to $15.25 trade; stock cattle strong to 25 cents higher; fed heifers; fed heifers fully 25 cents higher; cows steady to 25 cents lower; bulls 25 cents higher, and vealers weak to 50 cents lower.

Sheep—Salable receipts, none; today's market nominal; compared last week, fat lambs steady to 10 cents higher; week's top fed western wooled lambs, $12.85.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, April 8, 1942.

	High	Low	Sat.	Fri.
WHEAT—			Closed	
May	123¾	122½	123½	122⅞
July	126	124¾	125⅞	125
Sept.	128	126⅞	128	127⅜
CORN—				
May	88	87½	87¾	88⅛
July	90½	90	90½	90½
Sept.	92¾	92¼	92⅝	92¾
OATS—				
May	56⅞	56¼	56⅞	56½
July	57	56⅜	57	56½
Sept.	57¾	56¾	57⅝	57
RYE—				
May	78½	77½	78⅜	77⅞
July	81½	80½	81¼	80⅜
Sept.	84⅜	83¼	83⅞	83½
SOYBEANS—				
May	188¼	186	187⅞	186⅞
July	190½	188⅜	190⅛	189⅛
July	190½	188⅜	190⅛	189¼
Oct.	184⅜	182⅜	184	183⅛

Firmer Tone To Wheat Market

By WILLIAM FERRIS

CHICAGO, April 11.—(AP)—Wheat futures closed firm on gains ranging to a cent today, carrying most other grain contracts along with them, as buying developed late in the session. Corn lagged behind other sections of the market.

Buying of wheat was attributed to covering by previous shorts, limited offerings and a favorable government crop production report. Strength at Minneapolis also encouraged buying here.

Wheat closed ¾ to 1 cent higher than Friday, May $1.23⅝ to ½; July $1.25 ⅞ to ¾; Corn was unchanged to ⅜ cent lower, May 87⅞ to ¾; July 90½ to ⅝; Oats finished ⅜ to ⅝ higher; Rye was up ⅜ to ½; and Soybeans gained ⅞ to 1⅛.

Stocks Finish Week On Decline

By BERNARD S. O'HARA

NEW YORK, April 11.—(AP)—The stock market finished a declining week still on the downside today with bearish war news generally taking the principal blame.

Slipping tendencies were the rule at the opening and while losses on the whole were limited to fractions, average prices closed at the lowest levels in four years.

The redeeming feature was that there never was any real selling pressure in evidence. Transfers of 142,560 shares compared with 176,210 last Saturday and were the smallest since March 28.

The Associated Press composite of 60 stocks was off .1 of a point at 34.1, a new bottom since March 31, 1938. On the week this barometer was down .5.

Two things shorten the life of a battery—a loose rack and lack of water. With proper care a new battery should last several years.

Closing of Leading Stocks

	Close Fri.	Close Sat.
American & For. Power	8	8
American Smelt. & R.	7/16	——
American Tel. & Tel.	39½	39¼
American Tobacco, B.	116⅛	115½
Anaconda	38⅜	38
Atchison T. & S. F.	25	25⅛
Atlas Power	36½	36⅜
Aviation Corp.	——	——
Bethlehem Steel	3⅛	3⅛
Chrysler Corp.	53¾	53½
Coca-Cola	66	65½
Curtiss-Wright	7⅜	7⅜
Curtiss-Wright A	22¾	——
Du Pont De Nu	111¼	111
Eastman Kodak	116¼	116⅛
General Electric	23⅝	23¾
General Foods	26	26½
General Motors	34	33⅝
International Harvester	11⅞	11⅝
International Shoe	——	——
International Tel. & Tel.	3⅜	3½
Kennecott Corp.	47⅜	57⅜
Libbey, McN. and L.	56	54½
Liggett and Myers B.	17½	17
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	12⅜	12⅜
Mid-Cont. Petroleum	——	——
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	26⅜	26⅜
Montgomery Ward	51⅜	51
Nash-Kelvinator	11⅝	11⅝
National Cash Register	7	7
North American Co.	21¼	21¼
Packard Motor	18⅜	18
Pepsi-Cola	32⅞	32⅞
Phillips Petroleum	——	10
Purity Baking	27⅜	23¼
Radio Corp. of America	21½	21½
Reynolds Tob B.	48	48¼
Sears Roebuck	22⅛	22
Skelly Oil	17¼	17⅛
Southern Calif. Edison	22⅛	22¼
Standard Oil Indiana	43⅞	43⅞
Studebaker Corporation	21⅜	21⅜
Swift & Co.	49¼	49
U. S. Steel	67⅞	67
Westinghouse El. & Mfg.	——	——

Few Leaders Upon the Curb

	Close Fri.	Close Sat.
American Light and T.	——	¾
Arkansas Nat. Gas.	——	——
Arkansas Nat Gas, A.	5	——
Assoc. G. and El., A.	2½	2½
Cities Service	37	——
Cities Service, pf	——	——
Eagle Pitch. Lead	1	——
El Bond and Sh.	11½	——
Ford M. Can., A	——	——
Ford Mot. Ltd.	——	——
Gulf Oil	29¼	28¾
Nat. Bel. Hess	¼	3/16
Southern Union Gas	——	——
Southern Union Gas, pf.	——	——
South Royal	——	——
Standard Oil Ky.	——	——

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Political Announcements

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"The Corsican Brothers" And "Juke Box Jenny" at the Fox Theatre today and Monday



Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and Ruth Warrick in "The Corsican Brothers."

With Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., in a swashbuckling role that brings memories of his father, "The Corsican Brothers" opens today at the Fox Theatre thru Monday. In the dual role of the twin brothers, who seek revenge for the wrongs done their family by the Corsican tyrant of one hundred years ago, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., gives an exciting performance. He has no easy job, creating two separate characters who are different, yet alike in most respects. One brought up in luxury, is a gay young man of the world. The other, raised as a bandit in the wilds of Corsica, is a dour and forbidding personality. Ruth Warrick, in the feminine lead, is comparatively a newcomer to motion pictures, but she gives ample evidence of her ability. The stellar supporting cast includes, Akim Tamiroff, Henry Wilcoxon, John Emery, J. Carrol Naish, Gloria Holden and H. B. Warner. Co-Feature "Juke Box Jenny" with Ken Murray, Harriet Hilliard, Charles Barnet and his orchestra, Kingy Manone and his orchestra, The Milt Herth Trio, The King's Men, Iris Adrian and Don Douglas.

Street cars of Birmingham, Ala., carry hostesses, who serve coffee to passengers.

The emperor of Manchukuo own two $20,000 armored cars of American make.

"All Through The Night" and "Cadets On Parade" are the features starting at the Uptown theatre Sunday for three days. The new picture scheduled to open Sunday at the Uptown



Humphrey Bogart with Kaaren Verne call a truce in a battle of beauty and brawn in their latest picture, "All Through the Night."

is "All Through The Night," an action-packed drama of cops, robbers and fifth columnists. Humphrey Bogart is starred as an ex-gangster who leads his mob against the Gestapo in one of the most exciting chases in movie history. Kaaren Verne co-stars with him. The companion feature is "Cadets On Parade," starring Freddie Bartholomew and Jimmy Lydon.

Automotive Hint

Under-inflated automobile tires will heat more quickly than those inflated to the correct pressure, materially shortening the life of the tire.

"Spinster" Tax

A proposal of the orthodox Hindu community in Ahmedabad, Bombay Presidency, India, dealt with the imposition of a tax on all "spinsters over the age of 11 years."

Ontario Petroleum

The province of Ontario, Canada, produced 205,978 barrels of petroleum during 1939, an increase of 33,337 barrels over the 1938 production figure.

SEVENTEEN C. B. C. STUDENTS ACCEPT POSITIONS

Seventeen students of the Central Business College, Sedalia, have accepted positions recently. The following four have gone to Washington, D. C.: Miss Norine Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams of 509 W. Third, Miss Virginia McBride, daughter of Mrs. G. G. Maness of 902 S. Kentucky, Miss Marjorie Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Payne of 1405 S. Stewart and Miss Lorene Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Cook of Beaman where they have received Civil Service appointments.

Five local placements have been made during the past week. They are: Miss Nadine Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Stewart of Rich Hill, Mo., Mrs. Melvin Cole, of 1207 E. 11th and Mrs. Helen Colbern of 810 W. Broadway to the Rice Hatchery; Miss Gertrude Grother daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Grother of the Missouri State Fair Grounds to the Bagby Hatchery and Miss Eileen Kahrs, daughter of Mrs. Pearl Kahrs of 218 E. 6th street to the County Agent's Office.

Eight out of town placements have been made as follows: Miss Ethlene Enloe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Enloe of Russellville, Mo., with the Central Surety Insurance Co., of Kansas City. Her sister, Miss Alma Jean Enloe with the Highway Carriers Association of Kansas City; Miss Bette Collins, daughter of Mrs. John Collins of 320 E. 4th with the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City; Miss Virginia Burford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil A. Burford of 1006 S. Grand with the Citizen's National Bank of Kansas City; Miss Doris Maynard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Maynard, of Greenwood, Mo., with the H. D. Lee Co. of Kansas City; and Miss Betty Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roberts of 906 S. Barrett with the Merchants National Bank of Dayton, Ohio.

Miss Rebecca Wyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wyatt of Lone Jack, Mo., has secured a position with the Social Security office in Warrensburg, and Miss Cody Hurt of Bunceton, Mo., has employment as a stenographer at Boonville, Mo.,

About Aluminum

Aluminum first was isolated in 1838 by scientists Davy and Wohler. In 1886, Hamilton Castner of New York perfected a plan for manufacturing aluminum as a sheet metal.

Extremities

The easternmost point of the United States is West Quoddy Head, near Eastport, Maine. The westernmost point is Cape Alva, Wash.

Accidental Discovery

Mammoth Cave, in Kentucky, was discovered by accident in 1809 when a bear he had wounded led a hunter named Hutchings to its lair, an entrance to the cave.

North Carolina as 32 white and seven Negro denominational and privately endowed colleges and university.

• This Curious World



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• Houstonia

By Mrs. Bennie Martin

The Royal Workers Sunday school class of the Methodist church held its monthly class social at the church last Friday evening with the teacher, Mrs. Jack Morris. Mrs. Claud Cooper and Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh were hostesses.

Clarence Ramseyer and Willie Rothrock left Wednesday morning for Charleston, S. C., where they will be employed. John Butts and family, formerly of Houstonia, who are now residing at Charleston, helped the men in securing their new positions. Mrs. Ramseyer left Wednesday for a few weeks visit with relatives at Sweet Springs and Marshall, and then will join her husband in South Carolina. Mr. and Mrs. Ramseyer rented their modern home here to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Winner and baby of Knobnoster, who will move here this week. Mr. Winner is owner and manager of the Houstonia Lumber yards. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neef entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ramseyer Wednesday evening, and the officers and teachers of the community church. Mr. and Mrs. Ramseyer were guests Friday evening of M. W. Benning for dinner. They were entertained Monday evening by Mrs. Susie Cooper, Tuesday evening by Mrs. W. C. Westbrook.

Mrs. T. D. Homan spent Wednesday and Thursday last week at the Homan home here, leaving late Thursday afternoon for St. Louis to join her husband, who recently underwent a minor operation at the Missouri Pacific hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harris and sons, of Kansas City, were weekend guests at the home of Mrs. John Harris, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. John T. Harris, Jr., and family.

Mrs. Palmer spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Rhinehart near Knob Noster last week.

Miss Dora Dorsey of Kansas City was a weekend guest of relatives here.

Thomas Phipps of Kansas City spent several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Early Davis.

The Woman's Christian Workers Missionary of the community church held its April meeting at the home of Mrs. John Harris, Sr., Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay B. Dorsey entertained Miss Dora Dorsey, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wicker and daughter of Kansas City, Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yeager, who have resided in Kansas City since Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Payton Williams, returned to their home here Saturday evening, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Williams and son, who spent the night and Sunday with Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. Ted Brown and family in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Schondelmier and family, of Kansas City, spent the weekend at the Ernest Smith home.

Francis Newsom, of Kansas City, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Newsom and family.

Mrs. Ruby Barton and sons, of Columbia, spent Friday at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. W. Benning. Mrs. Fannie McClure, who had spent several weeks in Columbia with her daughter and family, Mrs. Barton, returned to her home here at the Benning home.

Mrs. Anna Tagtmeyer spent a few days at Greenfield, Mo., with her son, Buddy Tagtmeyer, who was ill in the hospital there. Wallace Smiley brought the youth and his mother home Saturday.

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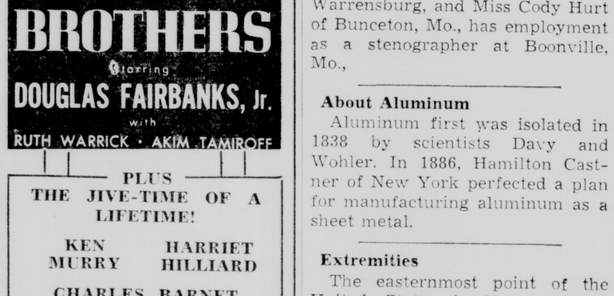
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